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ROLL OF HONOUR.

WATERS—March 5, 1920, killed in action, in Mesopotamia (previously reported missing), Eric Fitzgerald Waters, Second Lieutenant, 10th Lancers, eldest surviving son of Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald Waters, 34 Harrington Gardens, London, S.W., aged 20. R.I.P.

In Memoriam.

JORDAN—In loving memory of John Charles (Jackie), who was killed, in France, March 31st, 1917, son of the late Robert and Christina Jordan, 48 Ranelagh rd.

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BIRTHS.

ALESBURY—March 13, 1920, at Windsor Lodge, Edenderry, to Mr. and Mrs. D. Lyndall Alesbury, a son.

JEFFERS—March 29, 1920, at Drumleck, Castlebellingham, the wife of Albert Jeffers, of a son.

MAXWELL—March 26, 1920, at 89 Lower Baggot st., to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Maxwell, Corduff, Lusk, a daughter.

ROCHE-KELLY—March 27, 1920, at Kingstown, the wife of Dr. J. E. Roche-Kelly, a son.

WEIR—March 29, 1920, at 89 Lower Baggot st., the wife of George Weir, Montebello, Howth, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

BRIDGES and CLARKE—March 27, 1920, at Willowfield Church, Belfast, by Rev. F. M. Hamilton, Rector of Baronscourt, John, son of the late Thomas Bridges, Knockvicar, Boyle, to May, youngest daughter of Thomas Clarke, Magheracolton Lodge, Newtownstewart.

FLINN and THOMPSON—March 15, 1920, at Rotepene, Southern Nigeria, Major William H. Flinn, Royal Irish Regiment, of Myroe, Derry, to Olive, youngest daughter of George E. Thompson, Kilmore, Cashel, Co. Tipperary.

HAMILTON and HESTER—March 18, 1920, at Bombay, by the Rev. Victor Fletcher, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Sackville Hamilton, D.S.O., Royal Engineers, Survey of India, eldest son of Mrs. Sackville Hamilton, and of the late Sackville Berkeley Hamilton, Assistant Inspector-General R.I. Constabulary, and Margaret, only daughter of S. C. Hester, Esq., M.A., and Mrs. Hester, of Laleham, Isle of Thanet.

DEATHS.

BOYERS—March 29, 1920, in London, Adrian M. E., the dearly-loved and only son of William S. and Agnes Boyers.

There is a crown for little children
Above the bright blue sky.

COCHRANE—March 29, 1920, at her residence, "Dankeld," Stapleton place, Dundalk, Mrs. Mary Alice Cochrane, aged 60 years. Funeral to New Cemetery to-morrow (Thursday), 1st April, 1920, at 2 p.m.

CONFREY—March 30, 1920, at her residence, Craddoxtown, Naas, Teresa, relict of the late Joseph Confrey. R.I.P. Funeral to-morrow (Thursday), at 2 o'clock (new time), to the family burial ground, Two-Mile House.

COSBY—March 29, 1920, at Stradbally Hall, Queen's County, Eliza, the beloved wife of Colonel Robert G. Cosby, after a long illness. Funeral private. No flowers, by request.

DAVIS—March 30, 1920, at Railway Cottage, Woodenbridge, Margaret, widow of the late William Davis. Funeral to Castlemacadam to-morrow (Thursday), 2 o'clock (old time).

DE RINZY—March 27, 1920, at Ballyduffbeg, Camolin, Co. Wexford, Rachel De Rinzy, last surviving daughter of the late Edward De Rinzy, aged 85 years.

DONNELLY—March 28, 1920, at St. Mary's, Haddington rd., Dublin, the Most Rev. Nicholas Donnelly, D.D., Bishop of Canea, and Bishop-Assistant of Dublin, in the 83rd year of his age. R.I.P. Requiem Office and High Mass at the Church of St. Mary, at which His Grace the Archbishop will preside, to-day (Wednesday), 31st March, at 11 a.m. Funeral afterwards to Glasnevin. No flowers, by special request.

INGLIS—March 30, 1920, at his residence, 3 Westland Row, William Inglis, aged 70. Funeral to Mount Jerome, leaving at 9.30, to-morrow (Thursday), April 1st.

KER—On Saturday, March 27, 1920, at her residence, 13 Breffni ter., Monkstown, Harriet, relict of the late Major William Ker, 3rd Bat. Buffs, and youngest daughter of the late Robert McCraith, of Loughloher, Cahir. Funeral to Loughloher to-day (Wednesday), after the arrival of the 3.18 train to Cahir.

LANDY—March 28, 1920, at her residence, Skerries, Co. Dublin, Mary, widow of the late Andrew Landy. R.I.P. Interred yesterday in family burial ground, Holmpatrick.

LOGAN—March 29, 1920, at her residence, Drum-an-dear, Portadown, Margaret, relict of the late Henry Logan, in her 80th year. Funeral to the family burying ground, Seagoe, this (Wednesday) morning at 11 o'clock. No flowers.

LYSTER-SMYTHE—March 27, 1920, at Falmouth, Colonel W. Lyster-Smythe, D.L., of Barbavilla, Westmeath, late R.A.

MORRISON—March 29, 1920, John Hedley Morrison, eldest son of William Morrison, aged 32 years, late Inniskilling Fusiliers.

WEBSTER—March 28, 1920, at his residence, Park Wood, Harrietsham, Kent, Robert Webster, the dearly-beloved husband of Beatrice Milward Webster. Funeral at Harrietsham, at 2.30 p.m., to-day (Wednesday), 31st. Friends will please accept this (the only) intimation. Ceylon and Indian papers please copy.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Sneyd, of Mount Gamble, Swords, desire to express their sincere thanks to senders of the many messages of sympathy received by them on the death of their beloved son, Charles Herbert Sneyd. As it is impossible to answer each message as they would desire, it is hoped that friends and sympathisers will accept this expression of thanks.

Mrs. Wyber and family, Ballinacorrig, Kilcormac, offer grateful thanks for the kind letters and telegrams of sympathy sent them in their recent sad bereavement, also for the many beautiful wreaths sent, and ask their friends to accept this acknowledgment.

IN MEMORIAM.

BAKER—In ever-loving memory of James, dearly-loved husband of Lizzie Baker, who passed away 31st March, 1916. "With Christ, which is far better." Inserted by his loving wife and daughter.

McLEAN—In loving memory of my dear husband, William McLean, who departed this life March 31st, 1919.

God called him home to rest,
Peacefully sleeping for ever blest.

PITT—In loving memory of my darling mother, Anna Louisa Pitt, died 31st March, 1918.

I miss her dear familiar form,
I miss her smiling face,
For there is none in all this world
Can fill my mother's place.

Inserted by her loving son.

PITT—In loving memory of Anna Louisa Pitt, who fell asleep 31st March, 1918.

TYRRELL—In ever-loving memory of Captain James Tyrrell, beloved husband of Lucy Tyrrell, who fell asleep 31st March, 1917. "Even so, them also who sleep in Jesus will God bring with him."

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WANTED, Working Housekeeper, middle aged; care dairy and poultry; good plain cook; liberal wages. Apply Mrs. Furney, Ballyconnell, Co. Wexford.

WANTED, Woman for Morning or Afternoon Work; state terms; Rathgar.—R O 861, Irish Times Office, Rathmines.

WANTED, respectable Protestant, children and house-work; 15/- weekly; sleep out.—R O 860, Irish Times Office, Rathmines.

COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS WANTED.

A GOOD Cook General Wanted, gentleman's house, South Dublin suburbs, after Easter; house parlourmaid kept; good wages suitable person.—"Z 3995, Cook," this office.

COOK General, also House Parlourmaid, required for Dublin; must be well recommended; comfortable situations; wages £25 and £25. Send copies two last discharges.—"Z 3979, Cook," this office.

COOK (Good) Wanted for Suffolk; summer sometimes spent in Ireland; kitchenmaid kept. Apply, stating wages and references, to Mrs. Bence Lambert, Thorington Hall, Darsham, Suffolk.

COOK General Wanted, country; small washing; two ladies.—Newton, Borris, Co. Carlow.

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COOK General Wanted, experienced; must be good plain cook; no bedrooms, washing, boots or knives.—Avoca School, Blackrock, Co. Dublin.

COOK, experienced, required 12th April; wages £55.—Private Secretary, Government House, Isle of Man.

CAN a lady recommend an experienced single-handed Cook, small dairy; good bread maker; two in family; wages £30 to £35.—Lady Dowdall, The Grange, Ballyragget, Co. Kilkenny. E

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EXPERIENCED Cook Wanted, April 9th, near Dublin; charge of dairy; must be good at soups, cakes; also Kitchenmaid Wanted, same date; enclose two last copies; state age.—S 440, this office.

GENTLEMAN requires good working Cook Housekeeper, middle April, for small convenient country house; good wages to competent person; house parlourmaid kept.—"Z 4108, Cook," this office.

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CHAUFFEUR, disengaged; drive car or lorry; strict T.T.; excellent references; age 25.—R 1801, this office.

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WANTED Chauffeur, beginning of May, country; experienced driver, running repairs, oil engine and generally useful; Protestant, single, total abstainer, non-union. Apply, stating wages, "Z 4078, Chauffeur," this office.

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DOMESTICS CONTINUED

TWO settled Maids (friends), one good Cook; quiet country; modern conveniences.—Macarthy, Little Lissenhall, Swords. D

WANTED immediately, Good Plain Cook for Kilkenny. Apply Mrs. Farquhar, Wilton, Mallow. D

WANTED, R.C. Cook; good butter maker; kitchen-maid kept. Copies, age, terms to Knox, Thurles. D

WANTED, good Plain Cook, R.C., singlehanded; Westmeath; small family; £30; copies discharges.—"Z 4041, Cook," this office. D

WANTED immediately for England, Cook General; housemaid kept; good salary. Apply Mrs. Reynolds, c/o Mrs. White, 22 Fitzwilliam place. D

WANTED, for light, airy Flat in London, opposite Westminster R.C. Cathedral, two thoroughly experienced Maids, as good Cook General and House Parlourmaid; about April 21; no objection to friends or sisters; two in family; fares paid; good outings; wages £40 and £36 respectively, all found. Please write fully, as too far to interview, stating age, length references, experience, and all particulars, to Mrs. Cadogan, King's Head, Broughton-in-Furness, Lancashire.

WANTED, for London, capable, reliable Cook General, age over 30, used to good houses; wages £40-£45. Fairman, 11 Oval road, Regent's Park, London. C

WANTED, Cook General; care dairy and fowl; vicinity Leixlip. Reply "Z 4125, Cook," this office. F

WANTED immediately, Cook General, temporary.—Send copies discharges, Gilmore, St. Helen's, Bray.

WANTED, young good Cook, Protestant; four maids kept; four in family; wages £36.—Mrs. Gardner, Albany House, Balcombe road, Branksome Park, Bournemouth.

WANTED, superior Cook General, two in family. Rathgar.—R O 866, Irish Times Office, Rathmines.

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GENERALS WANTED

A GOOD General, four in family, no children, comfortable place; good wages.—Sinla Lodge, Strandville avenue, Clontarf. D

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GENERAL, settled, Wanted, small family, Pembroke; well recommended; £16.—S 354, this office. D

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SUPERIOR General Wanted for 2 months; must be good plain cook; small washing; wages £24; Herbert Park district.—"Z 3993, General," this office. C

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WANTED, strong General for business house. Apply 19 North Richmond st. D

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WANTED, good General Servant, doctor's house, two in family, for Birkenhead; interview Rathmines.—R O 855, Irish Times Office, Rathmines.

WANTED by Irish Lady for service in London, a good General Maid; must be good plain cook. Write 7 Acacia road, Acton, London.

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WANTED immediately, General Servant, for South of England; must be good plain cook, and have good references. Reply 53 Palmerston road. F

WANTED, General for England; travel middle of April with lady; good wages; small family; help given.—S 317, this office. D

WANTED, respectable country Girl to train General. Apply Haddington terrace, Kingstown. A

WANTED, about April 7th, superior Girl as General Maid for two Irish ladies living in London; must be good plain cook, and understand household duties; easy situation; help given; good outings and wages to willing, good tempered girl; passage will be paid; references required. Apply to Mrs. Bugg, Friday's Hill Cottage, Fernhurst, Sussex.

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A GOOD Parlourmaid, Valet, and Carver; well recommended. Apply Mrs. Church, Crosstown, The Curragh.

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HOUSEMAID—Second required 12th April; wages £24.—Private Secretary, Government House, Isle of Man.

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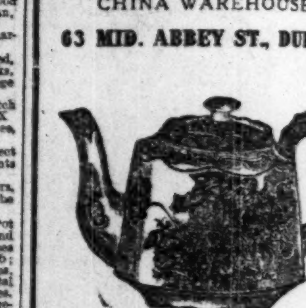

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Dublin, March, 1920.

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NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.
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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic., Cap. 54, that the abovenamed Deceased, by her last Will and Testament, dated the 1st day of November, 1916, made the following Charitable Bequests—viz.

To the Protestant Orphan Society	£100
To the Royal Hospital for Incurables	£50
To the Dublin Prison Gate Mission	£50
To Children's Clothing Society (Police Aided)	£50
To the Young Women's Christian Association	£25

The Testatrix died on the 1st day of February, 1920, and Probate of the said Will was, on the 22nd day of March, 1920, granted forth of the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice in Ireland, King's Bench Division (Probate), to Richard O'Brien Smyth, Retired Inspector, Local Government Board, of 9 Morehampton road, Donnybrook, County Dublin, and William Geoghegan, M.B.E., D.L., Solicitor, of 19 Kildare street, Dublin, the Executors in said Will named.
Dated this 29th day of March, 1920.
WILLIAM GEOGHEGAN, M.B.E., D.L., Solicitor for the said Executors, 19 Kildare street, Dublin.
To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests, and to all whom it may concern.

IN THE GOODS OF
JAMES GALLAGHER, late of Straide House, Foxford, County Mayo, Farmer, Deceased.
All persons having any claims against the estate of the above-named Deceased are requested to furnish particulars thereof forthwith to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors.
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STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
CATHERINE CARSON, late of 9 Morehampton road, in the County of Dublin, Widow, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors, or to have any claim or demand against the above-named Deceased, who died on the 1st day of February, 1920, are hereby required, on or before the 10th day of May, 1920, to furnish (in writing) particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executors named in the Will of the Deceased, to whom Probate thereof was granted forth of the Principal Registry, King's Bench Division (Probate) of the High Court of Justice in Ireland on the 22nd day of March, 1920. And notice is hereby further given that after the said 10th day of May, 1920, the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims and demands of which notice shall have been given as above required.
Dated this 27th day of March, 1920.
WILLIAM GEOGHEGAN, M.B.E., D.L., Solicitor for the Executors, 19 Kildare street, Dublin.

MRS. MARY JANE BRITTON, late of 16 Tivoli terrace, N., Kingstown, County Dublin, Widow, Deceased.
Take Notice that by the last Will, dated 4th December, 1919, of the above-named Mary Jane Britton, Deceased, she bequeathed to the Protestant Orphan Society £20, and said Testatrix by her said Will appointed Henry Pope Moxham (in Will called Henry Moxham), of 5 Sandymount avenue, Sandymount, County Dublin, and Patrick Merrin, Physician and Surgeon, "Mount Clarence," Kingstown, County Dublin, her Executors, to whom Probate of the said Will, with a Codicil thereto, was granted on 27th February, 1920, forth of the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice in Ireland, King's Bench Division.
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

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RESTRICTION ON WINES AND SPIRITS.
As the Customs and Excise Authorities have issued an ORDER RESTRICTING THE CLEARANCE OF WINES AND SPIRITS to the daily average for the six months ending 31st December last, it is hereby intimated to the Trade that Orders for Wines and Spirits can only be dealt with in accordance with this Regulation, which, it is understood, will be in force until the 15th May.
ROBERT R. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MAKE RATES.
Notice is hereby given that the Councillors of Rathmines and Rathgar intend to make Township and Special Rates under the Rathmines Improvement Acts, 1847, 1862, 1866; the Rathmines and Pembroke Main Drainage Act, 1877; Milltown Extension Act, 1880; the Rathmines and Rathgar Water Act, 1880; the Rathmines and Rathgar Improvements Acts, 1885, 1892, 1893, 1897, and 1902; the Public Health (Ireland) Acts, 1878-1912; and the Public Libraries Acts, 1885 and 1877, and Acts incorporated therewith, and Public Parks Act, 1869; Agricultural and Technical Instruction (Ireland) Act, 1899; the Dublin, Rathmines and Rathgar, and Pembroke (Equalisation of Rates) Acts, 1901, and other Acts in force within the district, authorising expenditure for Public Health and other Sanitary purposes; and will meet for that purpose at the
TOWN HALL, RATHMINES ROAD,
Tuesday, April 27th, 1920.
And Notice is further given that Statements of the proposed Rates lie at the said Office for public inspection on and after this date.
(By Order) SEACOME MASON, Clerk to the Council.
Town Hall, Rathmines, March 30th, 1920.

JERVIS STREET HOSPITAL, DUBLIN.
The Finance Meeting of the above Institution was held in the Boardroom of the Hospital on Thursday, 25th inst. Vouchers for payment ordered last month were checked, and the accounts for supplies to the Hospital for February were examined and cheques to pay same were signed. The number of patients relieved during January amounted to 1,032, of which 428 cases were from accidents.
The Managing Committee gratefully acknowledge subscriptions received through the Sisters of Mercy during February:—

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O'Neill, Joseph	1	0	0
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Roche, Mrs.	1	1	0
Sexton, Thomas	2	2	0
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Mullinan Trust Dividend	15	14	4
Trustees, Nelson's Pillar	20	0	0
Dr. William Lombard Murphy, share of money left by his Father, Mr. William Martin Murphy, for Charities	50	0	0
John Whelan, Deceased, Bequest, per Thomas Montgomery, Solicitor	50	0	0

N.B.—Subscribers are requested to examine the preceding list in order to ascertain whether their names and subscriptions have been correctly stated.
Despite the high cost of building, the Managing Committee were obliged to undertake the provision of an Operating Theatre, at present under construction. Donations towards its cost will be gratefully received by the Sisters of Mercy at the Hospital, or by any member of the Managing Committee or of the Medical Staff.
The very high cost of the necessaries of all kinds consumed in the Hospital is a cause of grave anxiety to the Managing Committee, and the friends of this ancient charity, now in its 203rd year, are earnestly solicited to contribute as generously as possible.
Mr. William Brennan has been appointed by the Committee to solicit and receive Donations and Subscriptions in aid of the Funds of the Institution.
GEO. C. STAPLETON, Treasurer.
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POLICE RECRUIT'S FATHER INTIMIDATED.

The house of Mr. Andrew Gilleece, Gortoral, Co. Fermanagh, was entered late on Monday night by a party of armed men. They threatened him, and made him swear that he would bring home his son, who had joined the Royal Irish Constabulary.

SEQUEL TO RIOT AT FOOTBALL MATCH.

George Goodman, the young man who was found guilty of discharging a revolver at the Cliftonville Football Ground, Belfast, on St. Patrick's Day, was yesterday sentenced by the Lord Chief Justice to eight months' imprisonment in the second division.

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WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—The pressure distribution is very complex. A secondary depression is approaching the West of Scotland, while a small disturbance is indicated over Lancashire, and a third over Brittany is apparently dispersing slowly. Pressure is highest over Scandinavia, and relatively high over the Azores region. Southerly winds are probable in Ireland and Scotland, and rather variable winds, mainly from between S.E. and N.E., over England.

Ireland.—Wind mainly southerly, light or moderate; cloudy or overcast; some showers, mist locally; fairer intervals; temperature rather higher; visibility indifferent to fair.

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN BAR (SUMMER TIME).

To-day....Morning 10.26 | Evening 10.49
To-morrow.. .. 11.11 | 11.31

SUNRISE AND SUNSET (SUMMER TIME).

To-day....Rises .. 7. 2 | Sets 7.57
To-morrow.. .. 7. 0 | 7.59

LIGHTING-UP TIME .... 8.59 P.M.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR TO-DAY.

Theatre Royal—Hippodrome, 6.45 and 8.50 p.m.
Gaiety Theatre—Closed.
Queen's Theatre—Closed.
Empire Theatre—Closed.
Tivoli Theatre—Closed.
Bohemian Picture Theatre—Closed.
Princess Cinema, Rathmines—Continuous.
Dublin Corporation—Receipts and Expenditure, 11.0.
Dublin Guardians—Meeting, 12.30 o'clock.
Blackhall Place Methodist Church—Stainer's "Crucifixion," 8 p.m.

Elysée Dances—Aft. Tea Dance, 3-6; Evg., 7.45-11.30, the Dawson Dancing Club (members only).—Advt.

The Irish Times.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31, 1920.

A political crisis has arisen in Denmark in connection with the Flensbourg question. The King, who objected to the policy of M. Zahle, Prime Minister, has dismissed him and his Ministry from office. This action is strongly resented.

Mr. Asquith, in the House of Commons yesterday, resumed the debate on the second reading of the Home Rule Bill. He criticised the Government's Irish policy, and denounced the Bill as a departure from the principles of every previous effort to confer self-government on Ireland. He emphasised the fact that the proposals of the Bill would place a permanent veto upon Irish legislative unity in Ulster's hands, and said that the scheme was not desired by any section of the Irish people. Mr. Bonar Law dealt vigorously with Mr. Asquith's Irish record. He ruled out the possibility of "self-determination," which implied the right of a Sinn Fein majority to declare an independent Irish Republic. He said that, should Sinn Fein reject the Bill, no Southern Parliament would be set up, but that that circumstance would not affect the setting up of the six-county Parliament for Ulster. Finally, he urged that the Government's proposals represented an earnest effort to bring about an Irish settlement, and reminded Mr. Asquith and the other critics of the Bill that their rejection of it would involve a grave responsibility.

Mr. Justice Kenny yesterday delivered his judgment on the claim of the widow and children of the late District Inspector Hunt, R.I.C., who was murdered in Thurles last June. The County Court Judge awarded £5,800, but this sum has been reduced to £5,025, and that amount, with costs, is to be levied in the proportion of two-thirds off the rural district of Thurles and one-third off the urban district.

The inquest on the body of James McCarthy, who was shot at his residence at Thurles on Saturday morning, was resumed yesterday, and on the application of the legal representatives of the next-of-kin was adjourned till April 12th.

Further police evidence was given at the inquest on the late Lord Mayor of Cork yesterday. A police sergeant and a constable spoke of conversations that they had with the Lady Mayoress while the military were in the house. The sergeant said that Mrs. MacCurtain requested one of the policemen to go into the house and comfort her mother. A constable said that he shook hands with the Lady Mayoress when leaving the house.

At a special meeting of the Cork Corporation last night Councillor Terence McSwiney, who holds a prominent position in the Sinn Fein ranks, and is M.P. for Mid-Cork, was unanimously elected Lord Mayor in succession to the late Mr. MacCurtain.

In London yesterday the Stock Markets improved on the collapse of the proposal to tax war wealth. Some specialities were strong. There was great pressure in the loan market, and heavy assistance had to be got from the Bank of England. Discounts were brisk and inclined to be harder. The feature of Dublin 'Change was a strong rally after hours, Dunlops rising to 10⅞. City of Dublin Steam fell 5 points.

Light on the Bill.

Some days ago Mr. Asquith denounced the Government's Irish policy to an audience which included the Marquis of Aberdeen and Mr. Birrell—so that, indeed, "we three" had met again "in thunder, lightning, and in rain." It was a thoroughly cynical performance, and he repeated it yesterday in the House of Commons. Irish Unionists will enjoy Mr. Bonar Law's scathing summary of Mr. Asquith's record in Irish affairs. No other living man has a heavier responsibility for the state of this unhappy country. He is responsible for the Home Rule Act which has induced the Cabinet to find a desperate expedient in the present Bill. He is not without responsibility for what he calls, in his rhetorical way, "the recrudescence of the phenomena of outrage"; for the Republican movement of to-day is a direct outcome of his handling of Irish affairs before and after the rebellion of 1916. Yet the fact remains that Mr. Asquith's criticism of the present Bill stands or falls on its merits. Mr. Bonar Law's attack on "the other fellow's attorney" does not conceal the weakness of his own case. The truth is that Mr. Asquith's dislike of the present Bill is shared—for the reasons which he stated with lucidity and force—by three-fourths of the Irish people. It fulfils his own and the Government's pledges to North-East Ulster at the cost of a permanent destruction of Irish peace and unity. It meets no demand of any section of Irishmen. It stereotypes dual systems of administration which would be an appalling burden on the Irish taxpayer and would make national progress impossible in any direction. It gives the six-county area a veto for ever on the creation of a united Ireland.

Mr. Bonar Law's attempt to show that the Bill does not mean permanent partition, and that the Council of Ireland will not remain always a "fleshless, bloodless skeleton," was utterly unconvincing. He was able to set nothing save a vague hope against North-East Ulster's decisive "No." It is clear that he was anxious to give some specific assurance of ultimate unity, but did not dare to invite an awkward repudiation from Sir Edward Carson, who will speak in the debate to-day. Mr. Law's defence of the Bill was, in effect, a very striking exposure of its dangers. He began with the postulate that "something must be done" because a Home Rule Act which does not fulfil the pledge to North-East Ulster is on the Statute Book, and may become operative to-morrow at the whim of Mustapha Kemal Pasha. The mere repeal of this Act is impossible: it must be replaced by some other form of settlement. An Irish Republic is impossible, because neither the English people nor the British Empire would sanction it. Dominion Home Rule is impossible because, in the Government's opinion, the whole system would be captured immediately by the Republican movement. The present Bill is not a perfect solution, but it fulfils the pledge to North-East Ulster and safeguards the Imperial connection. That is Mr. Law's argument, but there is a fatal flaw in the premises which vitiates the whole conclusion. His statement that the Bill establishes safeguards against Republicanism is untrue. On the day when it is enforced *Sinn Fein*, infuriated by the partition of Ireland, will assume the *de facto* government, under the Republican flag, of twenty-six Irish counties. Mr. Law, indeed, is dimly conscious of this danger. He says that the Act will not become effective until the Southern Parliament has taken the oath of allegiance; and that, if it rejects this formality, matters will "revert to the present position."

This statement by Mr. Law is by far the most important that has been made in the debate. In the first place, it is a confession that, after all, the Bill cannot be enforced on the twenty-six counties. If—or rather, when—these refuse to acknowledge the King's sovereignty matters will "revert to the present position." In the next place, Mr. Law's statement exposes the emptiness of the Government's talk about a "date of Irish union." He has told us—with, perhaps, unintentional candour—exactly how Ireland will stand when this Bill becomes law. The six counties will accept it, and will retire into the permanent seclusion of their Northern fortalice. The embittered and disaffected majority in the rest of Ireland will do one of two things. It may return a solid body of Republicans to the Southern Executive, and these persons may take the formal oath of allegiance as the price of possession of the whole administrative machinery of Southern Ireland. In that event the Independent Republic which the Cabinet regards as impossible will have been established by the Cabinet's own act. We do not think, however, that elected Republicans would take the oath of allegiance, even under this urgent temptation; for *Sinn Fein*, with all its faults, is no casuist. Refusing, then, to recognise the supremacy of the Crown, *Sinn Fein* merely would boycott the Southern Parliament; nobody else would wish or dare to touch it; and matters would "revert to their present position." Twenty-six counties would remain under the control of the Imperial Parliament, with every intention and enhanced opportunities to make themselves ungovernable under that authority. The accomplished secession of North-East Ulster would pour an unceasing flow of oil on the fires of their anger. Military rule of the sternest kind would be demanded as a check upon crime and revolution. Sir Nevil Macready's new appointment would be made permanent; outrage would beget retaliation; the lot of minorities, both in North and South, would be intolerable; and Ireland's material prosperity soon would become a memory. The Bill is revealed to us by Mr. Bonar Law's speech not merely as a permanent Partition Bill, but as a permanent Coercion Bill. Yet, with an irony never excelled in Greek tragedy, it is presented to the House of Commons as a Bill for "the better government of Ireland."

The State of Denmark.

In these days of political turmoil crises have become commonplaces. Every Allied country has had its ordeal, while the countries which were grouped under the title of the Central Powers during the war have a couple of crises almost every day. A Danish crisis, however, is something new. Hitherto the Danes have kept their business to themselves, and have succeeded in building up a wealthy and prosperous little country by devotion to hard work. Now they have taken a hand in the game of political unrest, and Denmark, for the moment, is the cynosure of Europe's eyes. King Christian has dismissed his Cabinet as the result of a deadlock with his advisers on the question of Flensbourg. This town and the surrounding district, it will be remembered, formed one of the zones in which a plebiscite was taken recently. The inhabitants were asked to choose between Germany and Denmark, and they chose Germany. Apparently there was no more to be said on the subject, but the King thought differently. Plebiscite or no plebiscite, Flensbourg was a Danish town, and Danish it must remain. Such was the attitude of the extreme Right and also of the King. M. Zahle, the Prime Minister, did not satisfy the "Flensbourg" Party; therefore, he was sent about his business. The Danes, however, are very independent people, and, although it is stated that M. Zahle was unable to command an absolute majority in the Folkething—the Danish House of Commons—he was the constitutional head of the Government, and should not have been deprived of his office by other than constitutional means. Consequently a crisis has arisen. The Socialists and Radicals—together the largest group in the Kingdom—are up in arms against what they consider to be a violation of the Constitution by the King. His action has been denounced as "an impudent challenge to the Danish people" by the Press of the Left, and he has received an *ultimatum* demanding "the restoration of constitutional government before 9 a.m. this morning." The alternative is a general strike. Noisy demonstrations have taken place in Copenhagen. Cries of "Revolution" have been drowned by loyal cheers, and demands for a "Danish Republic" have mingled with shouts of "Long live the King." Two squadrons of Hussars appeared in the streets on Monday night and succeeded in restoring order without any difficulty. Nevertheless, the King, undoubtedly, has acted in an arbitrary manner, and, in view of the state of public opinion throughout Europe, he seems to have been ill-advised. Denmark, like Great Britain, is under a Constitutional Monarchy, and there is no doubt that a better system of government for civilised countries has not yet been discovered. A Constitutional Monarch, however, should be above political parties. As soon as he meddles with political affairs the shadow of despotism falls on the land.

Railway Rates.

The increased rates for goods traffic, which came into operation on January 15th, are expected to wipe out the heavy deficit on the working of the English railway systems. The experience of two and a half months shows that, although the rates were advanced by substantial amounts—in some cases 100 *per cent.*—they have had little effect on the cost of living. A pamphlet which has just been issued by the English Railway Clearing House contains much valuable information on this point. The cost of transporting a large variety of articles of general consumption from various centres in Great Britain to London has been worked out in detail, and in nearly every case the increase is a mere trifle. Fish, for example, can still be sent from Aberdeen to the English capital, a distance of 525 miles, by express train for a total charge of just over a halfpenny *per* pound. London gets a considerable proportion of its oatmeal from the Glasgow mills. The effect of the new rates has been to increase the cost of carriage to a penny for every thirteen pounds. The cost of conveying woollen cloth from Bradford to London works out at a penny for five yards. These few instances, selected at random from a long list, are sufficient to show that the actual cost of rail transport is a relatively small item in the price of necessaries. A far more serious factor is the loss and inconvenience that are caused by the lack of adequate railway facilities. Our Belfast Correspondent pointed out yesterday that, in consequence of the shortage of wagons, material frequently must be placed in store, and that this not only causes congestion, but tends to increase prices. The situation, however, is improving, and the Ministry of Transport has taken steps to ensure that the available rolling stock shall be used to the best advantage.

Faithful Fishermen.

As a rule, official documents make dull reading, but a report which has been issued by the English Board of Agriculture is an exception. It tells for the first time how the fishermen of England and Wales were organised for national service during the war, and lifts the veil of obscurity from many valiant deeds. It is a record of which fishermen and the nation may well be proud. On all occasions, whether they were serving under naval direction or pursuing their ordinary calling, the fishermen's seamanship and spirit rose superior to German "frightfulness." They kept the markets supplied with fish even when the submarine campaign was at its height. The report makes all this clear; but it is constructive as well as retrospective. It contains several valuable suggestions for the development and proper utilisation of the fishing grounds. At present they are in a better condition than they have been for a generation. The war gave them time for recovery, and to-day the stocks of fish are much greater than in 1914. That advantage must be retained. We must never return to the conditions under which the fishing grounds were pillaged with almost complete improvidence.

COURT CIRCULAR.

VICEREGAL LODGE, DUBLIN.

TUESDAY.

His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant received a deputation from the Sligo Harbour Board, consisting of:—Messrs. Arthur Jackson, H. Campbell Perry and Percy C. Kerr. Sir George Stevenson and Mr. Gordon Campbell were also present.

Mr. Arthur Jackson, Mr. H. Campbell Perry, Mr. Percy C. Kerr and Mr. Gordon Campbell had the honour of being invited to luncheon with His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant at the Viceregal Lodge to-day.

Miss Folliott left the Lodge to-day.

A Buluwayo telegram, dated Sunday, states: The railway strike has ended, and the services have been recommenced.

LONDON CORRESPONDENCE.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
TUESDAY NIGHT.

The debate on the Home Rule Bill was much more animated to-day than it was yesterday. Mr. Asquith, who resumed it, was unusually vigorous, both in voice and gesture, and evoked many interruptions. Thus, after declaring that to call this "cumbrous, costly, unworkable scheme" Home Rule was "an almost aggressive use of language," he asked rhetorically, "What has Home Rule meant to us?" meaning the Liberal Party. "Votes" was the prompt reply from a Coalitionist on the back benches. For the moment the ex-Prime Minister was nonplussed, but he quickly recovered himself, and went on with his carefully prepared phrases. It was the first time since his return to the House that he had shown anything like his old oratorical form, and, whatever members might think of his arguments, they thoroughly enjoyed his sonorous periods.

It fell to Mr. Bonar Law to answer the ex-Prime Minister, and very effectively he did it. He is not an attractive speaker, but he has a wonderful knack of seizing promptly on the weak points of an opponent's case, and by the time he had done with Mr. Asquith's alternative proposals there was not much left of them. I do not suppose that he convinced any determined opponent of the Bill, but I fancy that he confirmed the faith of some of its doubting supporters. Not that he himself is sanguine of its success, but he regards it as furnishing a better chance of final unity than any of the suggested alternatives.

His most remarkable statement was made in answer to an interruption by Mr. Devlin, who had asked what would happen if Southern Ireland refused the measure. In that case, Mr. Law replied, Southern Ireland would be left under the present Administration, but the Northern Parliament and Executive would be duly set up. The House was left wondering at the topsy-turviness of a situation in which the only part of Ireland under Home Rule would be the part which has always repudiated it.

Mr. Bonar Law announced at question time that the House would meet again after the recess on Monday, April 12th. The Government will then invite the House to set up a committee to allocate the time for the Committee stage of the Government of Ireland Bill. If the committee can agree upon a scheme, the Bill will be kept in the House. If not, the House will have an opportunity of voting on the question, whether it should be sent upstairs or not.

It is now expected that the division on the Government of Ireland Bill, second reading, will be taken to-morrow about four o'clock, thus enabling a short debate to take place on the motion for the adjournment.

The Government are hoping to secure a majority of about 150 in favour of the second reading of the Home Rule Bill to-morrow. This is not by any means the full superiority of the Coalition majority, nor is it so good as the Government has usually secured on important occasions, but it is considerably larger than any majority given to a previous Home Rule Bill. A certain number of Unionists will vote against the measure, with the Independent Liberals, the Nationalists, and the Labour Party, though on very different grounds. Sir E. Carson and his Ulster friends, in accordance with their decision neither to oppose nor support the Bill, will abstain. A considerable number of British Unionists will abstain also, many of these on the ground that, if they vote for the Bill, they can no longer claim to be Unionists. This is a consideration which has been strongly urged, and not without effect, in the Lobby by Southern Unionists, who are opposed to the setting up of self-government in Ireland.

Mr. Bonar Law's announcement that, even if the Southern Irish Parliament is refused, as offered, the Northern Parliament will be set up and get to work, created a marked impression on the House. It was news to the majority of members, who had very vague notions on the subject, though it was not unexpected by the Ulstermen. These gentlemen are perfectly prepared to accept such an arrangement, should it prove necessary, and do their best to carry it into operation. In this course they hope they will be promoting the interests of the Empire, though they hold that the Union, as it is, would be better for that purpose.

Mr. Macpherson explained how it was that Mr. Alan Bell, to whose memory he paid a high tribute, had not received special police protection. He had been urged to accept it, but had refused. The Chief Secretary added that every endeavour was made to protect other officials, most of whom, he regretted to say, had had to be provided with accommodation in Dublin Castle.

The Home Secretary was asked why he had not released Alderman O'Brien, in order that he might pursue his candidature for Stockport, and replied that every case was considered on its merits, and this was not considered a suitable case for relief. He added that the health of the alderman, who was removed some days ago to a nursing home, is rapidly improving, from which one may infer that his "hunger strike" has come to an end.

Some comment has been caused in political circles by the surprising overthrow of Labour in the District Council elections now taking place in many centres. Labour has been utterly rejected in many places, while at Uxbridge seven Middle Classes' Union candidates secured all the vacant seats on the Council, defeating the Labour candidates. Probably the high rates brought about by the Labour extravagances have had much to do with the results. In London, in fourteen boroughs where Labour has a majority, the rates have risen by about 1s. 6d. in the pound, as compared with an average increase of 1s. in the pound in thirteen boroughs governed by the Municipal Reformers.

Mr. Macpherson will be asked to-morrow by Mr. Irving whether the man who was shot in Exchequer street, Dublin, on the 24th inst. was identified by the police as bearing the name of Molloy; whether, in fact, this name was correct; whether there was any deliberate concealment of the real name; if so, can he state the reason; and whether the man had at one time been in the D.M.P.

It is understood that the Chancellor of the Exchequer will bring in his Budget on the afternoon of Monday, April 19th. It is rumoured that there will be no striking departures either in the way of increased or new taxation, though there may be slight changes in the income tax.

Captain Wedgwood Benn will ask the Chief Secretary to-morrow if he can say how many political prisoners are in custody, distinguishing those who have been, or will be, charged and tried.

Neither Lord French nor Lord Jellicoe has yet received the Freedom of the City of London with the swords of honour voted by the Corporation, and it is suggested that the ceremony may take place about Whitsuntide. The Lord Mayor is now consulting the two peers as to a convenient date.

THE THREATENED TRAMWAY STRIKE.

Conferences were held in London throughout yesterday with regard to the tramwaymen's wage demands, and were, at 10.30 last night, adjourned until this morning. It is stated that the employers have made an offer which, it is hoped, may form the basis of a settlement.

SIR NEVIL MACREADY.

Sir Nevil Macready, the new Commander of the Troops in Ireland, had an interview with the Prime Minister yesterday morning.

ORDER OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE.

IRISH NAMES IN HONOURS LIST.

The King has been pleased to give orders for the following, with other, promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire for services in connection with the war, to be dated 1st January, 1920:—

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Maud Evelyn, Marchioness of Lansdowne, C.I., C.H.

KNIGHT.

Sir Reginald, Earl of Meath, K.P.

DAMES COMMANDERS.

Una Constance, Mrs. Pope-Hennessy (Central Prisoners of War Committee, British Red Cross Society.)

Isabel Charlotte, Baroness Talbot de Malahide (President, County of Dublin Branch of the British Red Cross Society, and of the Irish Joint Red Cross and St. John Executive Committee.)

Miss Meriel Lucy Talbot, C.B.E. (Director of Women's Branch, Board of Agriculture.)

KNIGHTS COMMANDERS.

Patrick Dalreagle Agnew, Esq., C.B.E. (Vice-Chairman and Managing Director, Central Prisoners of War Committee.)

Lieutenant-Commander Charles Edward Dawe, O.B.E., R.N.R. Marine Superintendent, Royal Mail Steam Packet Company.)

Philip Hamilton Gibbs. (War correspondent.)

Thomas Callan Macardle, Esq., J.P., D.L. (Chairman of the Louth Recruiting Committee, and pioneer of the Irish tillage movement.)

John Joseph Mooney, Esq., J.P. (Member of Advisory Committee on Repatriation and Internment of Aliens.)

Arthur Eugene O'Neill, Esq., C.B.E. (Voluntary services in Requisitioning Branch, Ministry of Shipping.)

Percival Phillips (Senior War Correspondent, Western Front).

Harry Perry Robinson, Esq. (War Correspondent of *The Times*.)

Herbert William Henry Russell, Esq. (War Correspondent of Reuter's and the Press Association.)

Major Robert William Tate, C.B.E. (Fellow of Trinity College, Dublin; Officer Commanding Trinity College O.T.C.)

William Beach Thomas, Esq. (War Correspondent of the *Daily Mail*.)

COMMANDERS.

Herbert W. Allen, Esq. (Chief Paris Correspondent of the *Morning Post*); Lydia Elizabeth, Lady Anderson (Organisation of War Charities in Ireland); Georgina Dorothea Harriet, Countess of Bandon (President, Cork Branch, British Red Cross Society and Order of St. John, member of Irish Branch of Joint War Committee); Margaret Selina, Viscountess Boyne (President, Durham County Branch, British Red Cross Society, Organiser, Brancepeth Castle Auxiliary Hospital); Gerald FitzGerald Campbell, Esq. (Joint Correspondent of *The Times* and *Daily Mail* with the French Army).

The Hon. Cecilie Victoria, Lady Cunliffe (President, the Girls' Friendly Society); Miss Lallie Cunningham (Organised the Docks Buffet for Sailors and Soldiers arriving in Belfast); Miss Mary E. Cunningham (Chief Executive Officer in charge of Buffet at Great Northern Railway, Belfast); Richards Henry Dillon, Esq. (Secretary, Inter-Allied Chartering Executive, Ministry of Shipping); Norman Patrick Donaldson, Esq (Vice-Chairman of the Clyde Anti-Submarine Committee); Major Fairbairn Downie (special services in connection with munitions in Ireland).

Charles Edward Fagan, Esq., I.S.O. (Secretary, British Museum of Natural History); Marion, Mrs. FitzGerald (Chairman of the County Kerry Local War Pensions Committee); Dorothy Eleanor Augusta, Mrs Hignett, O.B.E. (Deputy Head of Irish War Hospital Supply Dépôt); Miss E. Hariott Kelly, O.B.E. (Honorary Secretary, Portsmouth War Pensions Committee); the Hon. Emily Cecilia Kinnaird, O.B.E. (Vice-President of the Young Women's Christian Association).

Sir Frederick William Moneypenny, M.V.O., O.B.E. (valuable services in relation to War Organisations in Belfast); Major William Alexander Montgomery, D.S.O. (conspicuous services in connection with recruiting in Ireland); Julia Minnie, Mrs. Morrison (Organiser of Free Buffet for Soldiers, Kingstown Pier, Dublin); Captain Robert Henry Newton (Master of an Irish cross-Channel steamer); Richard Alfred O'Brien, Esq., M.D. (Director, Wellcome Physiological Research Laboratories); Pierce de Lacy O'Mahony, Esq., D.L. (The O'Mahony) (valuable public services in Ireland)

Marion, Mrs. Hughes-Onslow (Donor and Commandant of Lagan House Auxiliary Hospital, Ayrshire); Walter Sexton, Esq., M.B.E. (Hon. Secretary, Royal Irish Automobile Club); Joseph Simson, Esq., I.S.O. (Comptroller of Stamps and Income Tax, Ireland, Inland Revenue Department); Katharine Caroline, Dowager Duchess of Westminster (President, Cheshire Branch, British Red Cross Society); Edith Mary, Mrs. Wheeler (Acting Secretary of War Hospital Supply Committee, Belfast); Mary Carleton, Mrs Wynne (Organiser of the Free Buffet for Soldiers, North Wall Station, Dublin).

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Lucy Ida, Mrs. Blackley (Honorary Secretary, Women's Patriotic Fund, County Cavan); the Reverend Canon Henry Westby Brady, M.B.E. (Chaplain to Missions to Seamen, Buenos Ayres); William John Henry Brayden (valuable services in connection with recruiting in Ireland); the Honourable Lilah Constance, Lady Manningham-Buller (head of Northamptonshire Hospital Supply Dépôt); Paymaster-Lieutenant Fred Burke, R.N.R. (services in connection with the blockade of Germany); Miss Violet Julia Byrne (Secretary, Voluntary Aid Detachment Selection Board).

Dom Fernand Cabrol, Lord Abbot of the Order of Benedictines (Red Cross services); William Calwell, Esq., M.D., M.Ch. (Medical Officer, Craigavon Neurasthenic Hospital, Belfast); Herbert Stanley Chaytor (Secretary, Royal Irish Automobile Club; valuable services in relation to War Charities); Augusta Caroline, Baroness Clonbrock (President of a Fund for Prisoners of War); Eva, Mrs. Lennox-Conyngham (valuable services at a Wounded Soldiers' Club in Dublin); John Galwey Cooke, Esq., M.B., B.Ch. (principal surgeon, City and County Infirmary, Londonderry).

Miss Alice Georgiana Croker (an active and valuable Red Cross worker in Dublin); Major William Hamilton Davey (valuable services in connection with recruiting in Ireland); Charles Chatterton Deane, M.D., J.P. (County Director, Red Cross and Order of St. John, Co. Armagh); Samuel Henry Douglas, I.S.O. (originated the work of the Wounded Soldiers' Reception Committee in Ireland); Norah Louisa Fanny, Baroness Dunleath (organiser, Ballywalter Park Auxiliary Hospital, Co. Down); Frederick George Dunlop, M.B.E. (manager, Messrs. Harland and Wolff, Ltd., Belfast).

Edward Henry FitzGerald (member of the Special Committee of the Tea Brokers' Association, Ministry of Food); Maud Frederica Elizabeth, Countess Fitzwilliam (organiser of Y.M.C.A. Munitions Canteens); Alice, Mrs. Freeman (organiser of free buffet for soldiers at Kingsbridge Station, Dublin); John Gallagher (Honorary Secretary, Edenderry War Pensions Committee; valuable assistance in the training of disabled soldiers); Henry Matier Glass (general manager of Workman and Clark's shipyards, Belfast); Beatrice, Countess of Granard (joint founder and administrator, Bathurst House Hospital for Officers, Belgrave square; President, County Longford branch, British Red Cross Society); Ernest John Harington (Deputy Accountant-General, General Post Office).

Miss Florence Vaughan Mitchell-Henry (Organiser of Garrison Buffet, Dawson street, Dublin); Joseph Edward Leo Holmes, M.B.E. (County Inspector Royal Irish Constabulary); Joseph Ingram (Secretary Irish Railway Executive Committee); Lieutenant-Colonel Richard Lane Joynt, M.D., F.R.C.S (Consultant for Orthopædic Workshops in Ireland, and other Red Cross services); Joseph Wiseman Keogh (His Majesty's Consul, Nice); Thomas John Kinnear (Secretary Food Control Committee for Ireland).

Stanley Harrison Lambert (work in connection with the care of the sick at Ruhleben Camp); Samuel Lineham (President of North-Eastern Federation of Produce Merchants, Chairman of Central Advisory Committee under Emergency Scheme); Violet Sylvia Blanche, Countess of Lucan (Wounded and Missing Enquiry Department, British Red Cross Society and Order of St. John); William Alexander McConnell (Joint Honorary Secretary Leinster and Connaught Provincial War Savings Committee); Captain Lionel John Manning, M.B.E. (Master ss. Scotia, London and North-Western Railway); John Morrison, M.B.E. (Works Manager Messrs. Harland and Wolff, Limited, Belfast).

Robina Marion, Dowager Viscountess Montgarret (Organiser and Administrator of the Montgarret Hospital); Alfred Frederick O'Gorman-Munshouse (Voluntary Services to British Consulate General in San Francisco); Agnes Kathleen Mary, Lady Nash (Chairman Limerick City War Pensions Committee); Edward John Beaumont-Nesbitt (services in the Parliamentary Department of the Foreign Office); Kathleen Florence May, Duchess of Newcastle (Garments' Branch, Stores Department, British Red Cross Society); William James O'Donovan, M.D., M.R.C.P. (Chief Medical Adviser on Prevention of T.N.T. Poisoning, Ministry of Munitions).

Major Charles Kean O'Hara (Chairman County Sligo Local War Pensions Committee); Joseph Powell (Captain of Ruhleben Camp); John McMahon Riordan (Superintending Inspector of Customs and Excise); Mittie, Baroness Rossmore (President of the Red Cross Society in County Monaghan); Matthew Joseph Sheridan, M.B.E. (Collector of Customs and Excise, Port of Newcastle); Edith Waters, Mrs Sibley (Organiser of Free Buffet for Soldiers at Amiens street Station, Dublin).

William George Smith (Assistant County Director British Red Cross Society and Order of St. John, for the City and County of Dublin); Florence Augusta, Mrs. Thornhill (Member County Louth War Pensions Committee, Honorary Treasurer and Secretary for Drogheda and district); William Warren (the *Daily Express* "Cheery Fund"); Commander John Henry Webb, R.N.R. (Harbour Master, Dublin); Winifred Bruce Blakeney, Lady Weldon (organised war work and war collections in County Kildare); Arethusa Flora Gartside, Mrs. Leigh-White (Honorary Secretary, Cork County Committee Soldiers' and Sailors' Families' Association).

The Reverend Henry Morrison Williams (Resident Chaplain in Berlin; services to British Prisoners in Germany); Arthur Wellesley Winder, M.B.E., LL.D. (Red Cross and V.A.D. services in the City and County of Cork); Joseph Samuel Young, J.P. (Vice-Chairman Galway Local War Pensions Committee).

Major Robert W. Tate, F.T.C.D., who has received the honour of a Knight Commandership of the British Empire, is the only son of the late Rev. Richard Tate, of County Leitrim. He was educated at Shrewsbury and at St. John's College, Cambridge. He obtained first class in the Classical Tripos, Part I., in 1894, and first class in Part II. in the following year. In 1903 he entered Dublin University with an *ad eundem* degree, and, having won the Madden Prize in 1907, won the Fellowship in 1908. In 1910 Major Tate undertook the organisation of the Dublin University Officers' Training Corps, of which he has been in command since that time. He has been Public Orator to the University since 1914.

Mr. Thomas Callan Macardle, of Dundalk, who receives a Knighthood, is associated with Macardle's Brewery in Dundalk. He took a leading part in the recruiting movement in County Louth during the war.

Sir Frederick W. Moneypenny, who receives the C.B.E., is City Chamberlain of Belfast, City Cashier, and Lord Mayor's Private Secretary.

Miss Cunningham, who receives the C.B.E., rendered valuable service in connection with the organisation and management of buffets for soldiers in Belfast during the war.

Mr. T. J. Kinnear, barrister-at-law, who receives the O.B.E., was Secretary to the Food Control Committee for Ireland from the inception of the Committee until June, 1919, when the Committee was formally dissolved. He recently received an important appointment under the Irish Department of the Ministry of Labour.

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FROM "THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY.

BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT WITH THE PROPRIETORS OF *THE TIMES.*)

THE HOME RULE BILL DEBATE.

The Times, in a leading article to-day, says—The debate on the second reading of the Government of Ireland Bill enters upon its final stage to-day. Hitherto the spirit of opposition to the proposals of the Administration has plainly been affected by the sense that ultimately the "big battalions" of the Coalition must prevail. Yet there were weak points in the Government position that must have yielded to determined assault had not the Government held the overwhelming advantage of possessing a concrete and definite plan. This advantage makes them secure against critics, who can advance only vague and unco-ordinated suggestions. Thus in his opening speech the Chief Secretary for Ireland enlarged upon the Government scheme, and drew from the Labour and Nationalist benches merely a blaze of uncontrolled fire. Beyond the precincts of the House, adds *The Times*, plain men read daily a long tale of Irish terror and assassination, and are confirmed in the conviction that reform in Irish administration is long overdue. Mr. Macpherson may be far from blameless for the present state of Ireland, and the scheme which he propounded may leave much to be desired, both as regards the principles on which it is based and the mode of their expression in the details of the Bill; but, at least, he stood before the country as a man who proposed to do something definite, and to do it quickly. In this respect, the Government case for action, as ably stated by Mr. Austen Chamberlain, will evoke little dissent. Nevertheless, from the Leader of the Liberal Party the Ministry encountered criticism of a more formidable type. With the main purport of Mr. Asquith's argument—namely, that by nothing less than an All-Ireland Parliament can the Nationalist demand ultimately be satisfied—we are in entire agreement, but we are unable to accept his view that the Government Bill is vitiated by the fact that it contemplates an initial division of Ireland. Mr. Asquith's alternative suggestion of an amended Home Rule Bill, with "county option" for Unionist Ulster, indicates a fundamental difference of conception from that of the Government, and confirms us in the belief that, while the Government have sought, however inadequately, to base their settlement on the present facts of the Irish situation, the Liberal Party remains in regard to this question virtually where it stood before the war. Hitherto Sir Edward Carson has not spoken in the debate, proceeds *The Times*. Much will necessarily depend upon his bearing. It is within his power to affect the attitude of Ireland towards the Government proposals more directly than could any other Irishman. The House and the country will recognise his difficulties as the leader of Ulster Unionism, though a large number of Ulster Unionists cast scarcely fail to see the true facts of their position. Sir Edward Carson has gained for six counties of the Northern Province legal recognition of their independent *status*, and in order to secure that object he has sacrificed the great tradition of Irish Unionism and the faith of many who once trusted him implicitly. The Government have been his accomplices. They have aroused no convincing additions to the bitter protest of Southern Ireland against the needless raising of obstacles to the union of their country. That protest is no expression of a passing phase of sentiment. It is rooted deep in the hearts of Irish Nationalists, and as long as partition bears an aspect of permanence, so long will the forces of Nationalist opposition enhance their present strength against it. The terms of the Government Bill would allow Ulster to defy indefinitely, and with complete legality, the desire of Irish Nationalists for union. Captain Craig on Monday foolishly gloried in the fact, apparently unconscious of the Nemesis which he lelled. However satisfying the Ulster Party may be the liberties which the bill confers upon the six counties, those liberties must in the end be worthless, unless the framers of this bill prove, indeed, to have builded better than they knew.

SIR HORACE PLUNKETT AND THE IRISH BILL.

Sir Horace Plunkett, in a letter to *The Times* to-day dealing with recent communications from Lord Dunraven on the Irish Bill which have appeared in that journal, says:—I find that it will not suffice to meet Lord Dunraven's objections to the Irish Dominion League proposals—I must, at the same time, dispel a complete misconception as to what these proposals are. Lord Dunraven's objection to the offer of a Dominion *status* is not so much that it would not be accepted—but probably knows as well as we do that, if it were bestowed, it would be—but that it would be taken to include all the powers and privileges allowed to, say, the Dominion of Canada, and that the concession would be followed by "perpetual agitation for the removal of the limitations." In to-day's debate Mr. Asquith proposed, in lieu of proceeding with the bill, to amend the Act so as to give to Ireland a Constitution as near as possible to that of the Dominions. Thereupon, Mr. Bonar Law declared the Dominion *status* to be an absurdity, because naval and military powers, and the right to "cut the painter" were of the essence of a Dominion *status*. He further ridiculed the idea of self-determination for Ireland, on the ground that everybody knew, and, indeed, the legitimate and authoritative spokesman for the Irish majority openly declared, that *self*-determination was what they claimed, and were determined to have. Therefore, if there were any alternative to the Government's Bill, it would not be found in a Dominion *status*, and the principle of self-determination was wholly inapplicable to the case of Ireland. Let me first discuss the criticism of the use of the words, "Dominion *status*." The right to "cut the painter" does not exist constitutionally, and is not of the essence of the *status*. It is merely an accident of geographical position. It has never been conceded by Legislative Act! It is true that Mr. Bonar Law conceded the Dominion right of secession. In his contribution to the debate to-day he dwelt on the Dominion control of Dominion defences. But the Irish Dominion League recognises that this little group of islands (of which, incidentally, Ireland is the most vulnerable part) is a strategic whole, and its defence must be under a single central control. This implies the denial of the right of secession. Whether, if the Dominion *status* were embodied in an Act, a majority of the Irish people would accept it as a permanent settlement does not admit of demonstration while normal political life is in abeyance. The chances of their accepting the *status* of a Dominion are infinitely greater than that they would even consider a *status* for which there is no precedent, justification, or, indeed, name. But this can be said with certainty. The consideration which will outweigh all others in deciding the action of the mass of the Irish people is the unity of their country. Those who offer uncompromising opposition to the bill believe that the bill means a permanent partition. Several of its supporters have quite frankly told me how they expect it to work out in practice. The Northern Parliament will function creditably, and the Southern Sinn Fein will refuse to take the oath, and the country will remain under military government. What the judgment of the world will be upon this result of British statesmanship is unthinkable. Sir, is it too late to appeal to the Government to proceed upon the natural lines of a settlement, instead of going farther with this truly original, but incredibly dangerous, experiment?

THE SENATE AND THE COVENANT.

Professor W. Alison Phillips, in a letter to *The Times*, written from Trinity College, Dublin, under date of Sunday last, says:—In the course of his speech at the National Liberal Club last Friday, Mr. Lloyd George said:—"You have only to look at America to see what a renewal of party strife means—the League of Nations torn to fragments, in a struggle between parties, dead on the floor of the Senate." It is deeply to be regretted that the Prime Minister should permit in this statement, as one leading as it is mischievous, that the opposition to the Covenant of the League of Nations in the United States Senate has been mainly, if not wholly, dictated by party considerations. The most superficial reading of the speeches of the responsible leaders of this Opposition would have made such an accusation impossible. Indeed, adds the writer, nothing could be further from a mere partisan display than the speeches of Senator Lodge, Senator Knox, and others on this subject during the debates in the Senate. Their critical analysis of the terms of the Covenant is acute, and, to my mind, often convincingly damning, not only from the point of view of national interests, but also from that of international harmony. I find in them no sign of any desire merely to "score points" in debate. Their tone throughout is lofty. They display a deep sense of the duty of the United States to the world at large, and to the Allies in particular, and, I may add, the friendliest sentiments towards the British Empire.

CRISIS IN DENMARK.

KING DISMISSES MINISTRY.

"CHALLENGE TO THE PEOPLE."

A Copenhagen telegram of Tuesday's date says—The dismissal of the old Danish Ministry has raised a storm of indignation amongst the supporters of the Zahle Government. It is expected that the new Ministry will immediately dissolve Parliament, and issue writs for new elections. The *Social Demokraten* says that the King, in reply to the Social Democrats' deputation and Trades Union yesterday, denied having made a *coup d'etat*, saying that the parties which had applied to him had informed him that the Zahle Ministry no longer had a majority in the Folketing. He therefore desired the elections, and would accept a Government in accord with the new Chamber. The deputation replied that the facts had been incorrectly represented.

A Reuter's Copenhagen telegram, dated Monday, says—According to the *Extrabladet*, the Premier, M. Zahle, in his final audience told the King that he did not think any other policy could be followed in the Slesvig question than that on which Parliament and the Government were agreed, but the King replied that he did not agree with his Minister, and, upon M. Zahle declining to tender his resignation as being quite indefensible in the present situation, and emphasising that his Parliamentary foundation was in order, the King requested the Ministry to retire at once.

The *Extrabladet* says—All friends of the King will, with the greatest regret, see him enter on this path. What has happened is such an imprudent challenge to the Danish people that it cannot but involve them in the greatest political consequences. Meanwhile meetings of the Socialist and Radical Parties have been called, and it is rumoured that the Social Democrats are bringing forward the question of replying to the King's action by a general strike.

An Exchange Copenhagen telegram says—The excitement caused by the sudden and unprecedented dismissal of the Cabinet by the King was expressed on Monday night by great demonstrations in the streets. The Democratic Press uses very sharp language against the King's action. The Socialists have presented an ultimatum to the King to restore constitutional government before nine in the morning, else a general strike will be proclaimed throughout Denmark.

A Reuter's Copenhagen telegram of Tuesday says:—A new Cabinet has been formed, of which M. Otto Liebe is Premier and Minister of Justice.

The Cabinet will apparently represent itself as non-political with the task of issuing writs for elections to the Volksthing, and directing affairs until the elections have taken place.

Lively scenes were witnessed in the streets here last night. Cries of "Revolution," "Down with the King," "Long live the Republic of Denmark," intermingled with cries for "Flensborg back to Denmark," "Long live the King." The appearance of two squadrons of Hussars late at night had a calming effect. Strong guards were placed round the palace, and no disturbances took place. Undeterred by the political excitement, the King took his customary ride, unattended, this morning.

According to the *Berlinske Tidende*, a group of people collected around him in the Amalegade and, while maintaining a demeanour of reserve, cried "Long live the Zahle Ministry." Others came up and shouted "Long live the King." His Majesty took both demonstrations in a friendly fashion, smilingly bowing to the people on either side as he rode on.

GERMAN AFFAIRS.

OCCUPATION OF THE RUHR BASIN.

ALLIES' PROPOSAL REJECTED.

A telegram from Paris, dated Monday, states: The question of the occupation of the Ruhr district has assumed a new aspect. The German Government desires to increase the number of troops from 40,000 to 100,000, and Millerand thereupon proposed as a safeguard that French and Allied troops should be despatched in numbers equal to the German reinforcements, and that these troops should occupy Frankfort and Darmstadt, where they would take over the local administration, with power to proclaim martial law, evacuating the two towns when the Germans left the neutral zone in Westphalia. The German Charge d'Affaires on this morning communicated the refusal of Germany to accept these conditions. He gave an official assurance that the number of German troops in the Ruhr Basin does not exceed the figure provided for by the agreement of 1919. The Minister also promised that there would be no increase without the authorisation of France. The American Government has also, it is stated, that they would have no objection to the occupation of the Ruhr zone by German troops, but regards the occupation by the Allied troops as inconvenient.

A Reuter's Berlin telegram of yesterday says: The position in the Ruhr is becoming very critical. *Vorwaerts* states that the Social Democratic Party of Elberfeld telephoned last night to Herr Mueller, Chancellor, declaring that they were unable to recognise the Government's ultimatum, and demanding three days' prolongation of the truce. The advance of the regular troops into the industrial region would compel them to proclaim a general strike in conjunction with Independents and Communists, and to mobilise all arms to defeat the Regulars.

CHICAGO SWEPT BY TORNADO.

160 DEATHS: MANY HUNDREDS INJURED.

A Reuter's Chicago telegram of Tuesday says: According to latest reports regarding the disastrous tornado, which swept over the city on Sunday last, the number of dead is now given as 160, and the injured at many hundreds; whilst the material damage is estimated at 9,000,000 dollars.

THE BUDGET.

Mr. Chamberlain informed Lieutenant-Colonel Assheton Pownall, in the House of Commons yesterday, that he hoped to be in a position to introduce the Budget on Monday, 19th April.

PASSION MUSIC AT ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.

The second portion of Bach's St. John Passion was sung in St. Patrick's Cathedral last night before a large congregation, and the utmost reverence and devotion were maintained throughout. The feature of the third portion is the large amount of chorus work which it contains. In all these choruses the choir acquitted themselves splendidly, and in that most difficult of all choruses, "Crucify," their attack and time were alike excellent. The arias and recitatives were entrusted to the same soloists as on Monday evening, and their interpretation of the music was marked by that artistic finish which has always been associated with the choir of St. Patrick's Cathedral. Mr. Charles Kelly, in particular, sang the part of Pontius Pilate with great dignity. The recitative of the maid-servant was severely sung by Master Cecil House. The third portion of the Oratorio will be sung this evening, and the finest portion of last evening's music will be repeated. Three choralee occur in this portion. These choralee, splendid old hymn tunes, wonderfully harmonised, form a striking contrast to the somewhat unsettled atmosphere of most of the choruses. Notable choruses are "We salute Thee," "Crucify," "We have a law," "Away with Him," "We have no king but Cæsar," and "Write thou not." The following should be noticed as recitatives of outstanding beauty:—"Pilate sought to release Him," "Then delivered he Him unto them," "And there they crucified Him," "Jesus of Nazareth, the King of the Jews."

The Service to-night will commence at 8 o'clock. Copies of the words of the Oratorio, together with the airs of the chorales, may be obtained at the South Porch.

CHRIST CHURCH, LEESON PARK.

On next Friday evening, at 8.15 p.m., Sir John Stainer's Sacred Cantata, "The Crucifixion," will be sung by the choir of Christ Church, Leeson Park.

WHOLESALE WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION.

The Wholesale Wine and Spirit Merchants' Association announce in our advertising columns that, owing to an Order of the Customs and Excise authorities, wines and spirits can only be supplied to the trade in accordance with the Regulation, which, it is understood, will be in force until the 15th May.

BIG CLAIM FOR COMPENSATION.

Mr. Michael Healy, R.D.C., Bantry, has lodged a claim for £5,000 compensation for the shooting of his son, the late Constable Charles Healy, Teomevara.

THE HOME RULE BILL.

MR. ASQUITH'S DESTRUCTIVE CRITICISM.

ULSTER'S PERMANENT VETO.

MR. BONAR LAW'S REPLY.

NO SOUTHERN PARLIAMENT IF SINN FEIN REJECTS THE BILL.

"SELF-DETERMINATION" RULED OUT.

Mr. Asquith, in the House of Commons yesterday, resumed the debate on the second reading of the Home Rule Bill. He said—It will be generally admitted that the debate, so far as it has proceeded, shows that in some respects this is an inauspicious moment for the discussion of an Irish constitutional change. The condition of Ireland is happy in regard to material prosperity, but from the point of view of social order it has steadily deteriorated during the last two years. Two years ago the constitutional Nationalist Party in Ireland was still holding its own. In the spring of 1918 there were three by-elections in different parts of the country, in each of which the constitutional Nationalist candidate had a very substantial majority over his Sinn Fein opponent. Unfortunately, the constitutional Nationalist Party has since, by events to which I will not refer to-day, been thrust into the background, not only in the Parliamentary representation of Ireland, but to a large extent the control of its local politics has passed into Sinn Fein hands, and simultaneously with that process there has been a recrudescence of the phenomena, painfully familiar to all students of Irish history, of an underground growth of secret societies for the organisation of murder and outrage, in an atmosphere of indifference in some parts of Ireland, and even acquiescence, which has given not only encouragement, but practical immunity to the miscreants. A sure sign of a free, healthy, well-governed community is that the ordinary citizen is an influential ally, if not an administer of the law. Tried by that test, Ireland at the present moment is neither healthy nor well governed.

THE GOVERNMENT'S PRIMARY DUTY.

No one can dispute that it is the primary duty of the Government to use all its legitimate resources in the prevention and punishment of crime. So far as it is exercising with proper performance that duty, not in a spirit of pettiness or provocation, but even with firmness and impartiality, it deserves the sympathy and support of every well-disposed citizen. I cannot altogether agree with the position which I understood to be taken up last night by Lord Robert Cecil. He appeared to think that the restoration of order was a condition precedent to the consideration of constitutional change. I, on the contrary, believe—I think most of us do—that you should strike at the root of the mischief, whatever the administrative *régime* may be, by wise reform of your system of government you are able—which you are not now—to enlist and count upon general co-operation in the enforcement of the law. I do not approve of this, or any other constitutional proposals which may be put forward, with this view, even for a moment like this, that they are inopportune. On the contrary, my regret is that the matter was not taken in hand as an urgent question a good many years ago. I may add that I myself have special responsibility in this matter. (Hear, hear.) My name was on the back of Mr. Gladstone's second Home Rule Bill of 1893. I introduced the bill of 1912 after we passed the Parliament Act with the object of bringing the bill upon the Statute Book—indeed, the main objection raised to the Parliament Act in this House was that it would be used for that purpose; and after three sessions of Parliament it took its place upon the Statute Book. I was responsible also for the Amending Bill brought into the House in the spring of 1914, and was about to move that the Statute Book when war broke out, and, further, for the suspension, later on in the same year (without dissentient voice) of the operation of the Home Rule Act.

THE PLEDGE TO ULSTER.

Reference was made in the course of the debate yesterday by the Chief Secretary to the pledge which I gave on behalf of the Liberal Party in this matter. I think that the pledge embodied in the Home Rule Act should not be imposed by force on the Ulster minority. (Hear, hear.) From those pledges I do not recede to-day in any respect. But there was another pledge given by myself, for myself and my colleagues, to the vast majority of the people of Ireland, which was equally solid and sensible, and which I have what they had demanded for thirty years, and what, after two elections, the people of Great Britain had conceded. (Renewed cries of "No.") It is no good denying historical facts—that subject to all necessary safeguards for Imperial supremacy on the one side, and for the protection of the rights, the interests, and even the susceptibilities of Ulster on the other hand, there should be brought into effective and immediate existence an Irish Legislature and an Irish Executive dependent upon it for Ireland. That is the pledge which was fulfilled by the Home Rule Act. This bill proposes to repeal the Home Rule Act, which everyone agrees—I have said it myself over and over again—has been brought into operation, and, therefore, requires amendment in important particulars.

Mr. Bonar Law—If I may, I should like to know exactly where we are. You, I understand, say that this pledge involved the giving of a Parliament for the whole of Ireland?

Mr. Asquith—Certainly; subject to safeguards, I will add, on the historical side, I cannot, whatever other people may do, be a party to the repeal of the Home Rule Act, which is proposed by the bill, unless, in my judgement, that which is proposed to be substituted for it redeems to the very root and substance and essence of the bill. It starts from the wrong point. It is vitiated from first to last by a perverted perspective. It meets one class of difficulties no need; it takes away from Ireland that which, in one form or another, the great majority of the people desire, and it gives them in exchange something they do not call for, and which, I think, the vast majority of them will always refuse to use. Honestly and sincerely desirous as I am to find some settlement, I am very reluctantly compelled to vote against the second reading of the bill.

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within the bosom of the nation there is still room for many diversities of treatment, government and administration, but a unit Ireland is, and a unit Ireland must remain." That states the principle which has governed all the various attempts which successive Liberal administrations have made to deal with the Home Rule question, as clearly, and with the necessary qualification, as anyone could possibly make it. But this bill starts, not with Irish unity, subject to safeguards. It starts with Irish dualism—(hear, hear)—with a shadowy background of potential unity. There is, true, in that background the phalanx, bloodless skeleton of the Council. I heard the Chief Secretary elaborating the functions, not actual, but possible and contingent, with which this skeleton might ultimately be clothed, but for the time being its authority is confined to looking after railways and private bill legislation—what used to be called gas and water. It would appoint secretaries and clerks, and set up a staff at the expense of the country, and, further, it may make suggestions and recommendations to the two Irish Parliaments. It has no power of any sort or kind, except such as may peradventure some day in the future be delegated to it by identic Act of the two Irish Parliaments. This is the symbol and simulacrum of possible unity which this bill provides. Behind the Council, and still more remote from the world of actuality and life, is the spectral figure of the Irish Parliament. Mind you, it is for an Irish Parliament we have been working and struggling for the past thirty years. It is enough to say it cannot be brought into existence unless both the Parliaments—Northern and Southern—are agreed, according to the bill. What probability is there of that? None whatever.

Sir Edward Carson interjected with the remark that the probability of agreement was better than coercion. (Cheers.)

Mr. Asquith—As my learned and right hon. friend ought to know, that is a false alternative. It is not a question of coercion at all. I am discussing the question now whether this bill is calculated to bring about the existence of an Irish Parliament between these two.

ULSTER'S POWER OF VETO.

The truth is, it is left to an Ulster minority. (An Hon. Member—"Half an Ulster minority".—(Laughter.) It is left to an Ulster minority, but they constitute the northern part, in which six only out of the nine counties are represented. It is left to an Ulster minority to say if they will come to veto, if they please, the existence of an Irish Parliament. There was a most instructive speech made last night by the hon. and gallant member for one of the divisions of Belfast on this very point, and I should like to read two passages to the House. The hon. and gallant member said this:—"There has been a great deal said in this debate about the time when there is to be union between us. It has been said that this bill lends itself to union with the rest of Ireland." It was so said by the Chief Secretary and other Ministers. They have all pointed to this bill as, at any rate, the first step on the road, and a very effective step, to Irish union. Let us hear what the voice of Ulster has to say. "I have been a man who described himself as for the union of Ulster and the rest of Ireland. It would not be fair to the House if I lent the slightest hope to that union arising within the lifetime of any man in this House. I do not believe it for a moment." So far as the details of the bill are concerned, how is this going to be frustrated, and by means of machinery provided by the bill? "If we had," said the hon. and gallant gentleman in an expansive and candid mood—"if we had a nine counties Parliament, with 64 members, the Unionist majority would be three or four, but in a six counties Parliament, with 52 members, the Unionist majority would be 10. The three excluded counties contain some 70,000 Unionists, and 260,000 Sinn Feiners on the other side. In addition of that large block of Sinn Feiners and Nationalists would reduce our majority to such a level that no sane man would undertake to carry on a Parliament with it." Then you would have a Northern Parliament, with all ordinary power, and exclude the three next Ulster counties, with the result that they will always have a majority which will enable them to defeat permanently and for ever the appointment of a single Parliament for Ireland. (Cheers.) The Ulster minority will, I gather from the right hon. gentleman, grudgingly accept it, if they did not ask for it in the least. There is no smile of gratitude upon their faces. (Laughter.) I have never seen a man, if he will allow me to say so, whose demeanour presented fewer outward and visible signs than those with which the right hon. gentleman dissembled his satisfaction. (Loud laughter.) He and his Ulster friends received his Parliament, as I may recall a phrase of Lord Morley's, "in a spirit of sombre acquiescence." I am not surprised in the least. I have heard in this House during the last thirty or forty years, and I know from many speeches from him on the subject of the protection of Ulster. They have always been on one note—"Leave us alone. We are content as we are. (Cheers and counter-cheers.) We do not want," he says, "a Parliament or a separate Exchequer—that is the same—to-day." There cannot be a more strange, bizarre expression of view, a record more paradoxical, more close to the very roots and substance and essence of the bill. It starts from the wrong point. It is vitiated from first to last by a perverted perspective. It meets one class of difficulties no need; it takes away from Ireland that which, in one form or another, the great majority of the people desire, and it gives them in exchange something they do not call for, and which, I think, the vast majority of them will always refuse to use. Honestly and sincerely desirous as I am to find some settlement, I am very reluctantly compelled to vote against the second reading of the bill.

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TWO TIPPERARY MURDERS.

THE INQUESTS ADJOURNED.

REMARKABLE EVIDENCE PROMISED AT THURLES.

Telegraphing from Thurles last night our Reporter says:—The town of Thurles was quiet to-day, but evidences of recent disturbances were apparent in the shattered windows of a number of shops, and in the display of shutters as tokens of mourning for the young man, Thomas Dwyer, who met his death under such mysterious circumstances at Bouladuff, a hamlet, popularly known as The Ragg, situated some five miles from the town. The inquest on the body of James McCarthy, the baker, who was shot dead on Saturday morning last in his house, in Fianna road, was resumed to-day by the District Coroner, but was adjourned without any evidence being called on the application of the solicitor for the next-of-kin, who intimated that sensational evidence would be given when the inquiry was resumed on the 12th April next. It is understood that Mr. Patrick Lynch, K.C., will appear on behalf of the next-of-kin at the resumed inquest. In the case of Dwyer, Coroner Fennelly swore a jury and formally opened the inquest at The Ragg to-day. Evidence of identification having been given, the inquest was adjourned.

The Ragg is a village containing not more than a dozen houses, three of which are licensed. It will be recalled that the hamlet came under public notice some weeks ago through the murder of a policeman named Heanue there on the 4th March. It was stated in evidence at the inquest on Constable Heanue that the man who fired the shots were absolute strangers to the locality. Couladuff is on the main road between Thurles and Borrisoleigh, three miles from the latter town. The nearest police station to the village is Ileva, about a mile distant, and there are some 27 policemen stationed there. Dwyer was a young man, about 21 years of age, and is described as having been industrious in his habits, and popular in the locality. The only other occupants of the house at the time that he was shot by the raiders were his widowed sister, Mrs. Delaney, and her little daughter, and an invalid uncle. This evening a *post-mortem* examination was held on the body by Dr. Callanan and Dr. Power. Dwyer's remains were later removed to the Roman Catholic Church at Drom, and will be interred to-day in the local cemetery.

There are about 100 additional police on duty in Thurles to-night, those in the streets carrying carbines. At the inquest to-day on McCarthy there was a strong force of police in the courthouse and its vicinity, but the attendance of the general public was small. The licensed house of Mr. R. Small, P.L.G., Bouladuff, which was damaged by a bomb explosion shortly after the shooting of young Dwyer on Monday morning, presented a dilapidated appearance to-day, the broken wall and windows being boarded up. It has, however, been rendered habitable for Mr. Small and his family.

THE THURLES MURDER.

The inquest on the body of James McCarthy, baker, aged about 24 years, who was shot in his own house on Saturday morning, was resumed by Dr. Martin Fennelly, Coroner for Mid-Tipperary, at the Courthouse, Thurles, at noon to-day.

Mr. Babington, K.C. (instructed by Mr. Michael Gleeson, Crown Solicitor), appeared on behalf of the Attorney-General. Mr. P. Carr

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North, either in the First Chamber, or in the Second Chamber, or in both. There was another proposal which found a certain amount of favour with the Prime Minister in the letter which he wrote at a very critical moment to the Chairman of the Irish Convention—I think it was in February—and my right hon. friend said at the end of that letter that it was essential that there should be a single Legislature for the whole of Ireland. Upon that hypothesis, which appeared in the Prime Minister's letter, he suggested, as a possible way of dealing with the Ulster difficulty, that you might have within the Irish Parliament, not outside it, an Ulster Committee, with special functions and powers in regard to Ulster. Those are all—I pass them in review—suggestions which from time to time have been made. For my own part, I still favour—I did a long time ago—the expedient of county option for the Province of Ulster. I think it is the simplest, the fairest, the most effective. It gives time to Great Britain and for the minority in Ireland, under the operation of the new system of government, to see whether or not their apprehensions in regard to it are well founded. It prevents the automatic inclusion against the will of the minority of the province.

Sir Edward Carson—Would you also give county option to other counties in Ireland?

Mr. Asquith—Certainly, if they asked for it I would give it. I am sure that that would be found in the long run to be the simplest, fairest, and most effective expedient. There is another suggestion which has been made, which it would not be respectful to pass by without notice, by that distinguished Irishman, Sir Horace Plunkett. (Laughter and Opposition cheers.) I do not envy your understanding to laugh at the name of Sir Horace Plunkett—that man who has never been in political association with me, but whom I regard as one of the greatest benefactors of Ireland. At any rate, any suggestion from him deserves respectful consideration. Sir Horace Plunkett, and I think it is the Dominion League, propose the summoning of a Constituent Assembly in Ireland, with instructions to set up an Irish Legislature, and to leave to that Assembly the responsibility for working out the scheme. I should be very glad if that could be done, because I think this House is not very well qualified to deal with the details of Irish administration. But I fear that in the existing condition of Ireland—I trust it is temporary—there is an utter impossibility of bringing any representative body of Irishmen into impartial, deliberate conclave with one another. We are all alive, I believe, to the enormous and incalculable difficulties presented by the present position and the immediate prospect. I am, however, convinced that the only policy which has any chance of success is one which is both bold and generous. The bolder and more generous you make it the better becomes, in my opinion, its chance of success. There is one—perhaps only one—really satisfactory feature in the situation. It is that everyone in this House seems to be equally sensible that the existing condition of Ireland is at once a danger and a reproach. I think also that the majority of us, including many loyal and convinced Unionists who have stuck to their faith through good and ill report, are at least agreed that by some path or other Ireland must be permitted to find her way to the goal of self-government. There is there—and in my opinion there only—to be found the real prospect of a termination of failures, misunderstanding, lost opportunities, wasted forces, and blighted hopes, and the opening at last of a chapter of reconciliation, partnership, and unity. (Cheers.)

MR. BONAR LAW.

Mr. Bonar Law said—With the exception of the closing sentences, I feel bound to say that I listened with great regret to the speech of my right hon. friend. It is a speech which could have been made much more easily by some person who had come here with a virgin reputation on the whole of this Irish question. My right hon. friend began by pointing to the state of Ireland. He pointed out truly that it is always safe to assume that something is wrong when the general body of the public is found silent in face of acts of violence against the law. He said that in such conditions it was safe to assume that Ireland was badly governed, and I think the implication was that it was badly governed by us. I hardly expected to hear that criticism from anybody with the experience of my right hon. friend. I think he should have recognised that there are elements there which no Government can deal with, which certainly his Government was not successful in dealing with. When he points to the actual condition I must ask him to refer to what happened in Easter week in 1916, when he—we all shared it—but he had the chief responsibility. Ireland, I presume, was not in a better position then. I notice that some of his lieutenants were very violent against the Government because they had deported men of suspicion without trial. I assume that the condition of Ireland in the time to which I refer must have been twice, or nearly three times, as bad as it is to-day, because the number deported by my right hon. friend was two or three times the number deported by us. (Cheers and laughter.) My claim is that these things often are due to circumstances which no Government can control. Then my right hon. friend, in another interesting passage, while welcoming the attempt to deal with this question, said that his one regret was that it had not been made two years ago. Why two years ago? The war was going on two years ago. Why not three years? In that case my right hon. friend himself would have had the responsibility, instead of the present Government.

THE EXISTING ACT.

Let me point out another difficulty in which the right hon. gentleman is placed. He says that this bill is backed by no public opinion in Ireland, and his recommendation is that we should place the present Home Rule Act on the Statute Book. It is quite easy to get support from the majority of Ireland for any proposal if you give the majority of Ireland what they want. You can get support in no other way, and, if my right hon. friend were in our place to-day, and were to propose to amend the bill in the way he has indicated, I venture to say it would be condemned as unanimously by the representatives of Southern Ireland as the proposal we are making. (Cheers.) Then my right hon. friend went on to say: "The very introduction of this bill, which gives a power for two Parliaments instead of one Parliament for the whole of Ireland, would be the breaking of the solemn pledge which I have made." Again my right hon. friend's memory has been very short. Does he forget what happened in 1916? (Cheers.) Does he forget that his Government attempted itself to carry out almost identically the proposals which we are now making? (Cheers.) The proposal was that the six counties should be excluded from the Irish Parliament—that they should be excluded until they were willing to come in. And does my right hon. friend say that that was not as effective a block to a Parliament for the whole of Ireland as any proposal we are now making? (Cheers.) But let me go a step further. It is evident that my right hon. friend regards as a breach of faith the proposal which was made by his own Government. But what is the proposal which he makes to-day? He talks of a Parliament for the whole of Ireland. Does he mean that these counties are to stop out until they are willing to come in? Very well. The very condemnation which my right hon. friend makes of us he repeats against himself out of his own mouth. I regret the attitude which he has thought it necessary to take. I wish the House to realise that it is not free choice which has made us introduce this bill at all at the present time. There are two fundamental points through the whole situation. The first is that the Home Rule Bill is on the Statute Book, and the second is a question of time. We are approaching the period when the last of the Peace Treaties, I hope, will soon be ratified. When that happens, unless something is done, this Act automatically comes into operation.

POSSIBLE ALTERNATIVES.

What are the possible alternatives? The Government were faced not only with the fundamental facts, but with another fact clearly fundamental, which I had thought had been recognised as fundamental by all leaders of opinion in this country, and that was that Ulster was not to be brought into a Dublin Parliament except with her consent and free will. (Cheers.) That fact applies to not only my right hon. friend, but to the Labour Party. It was a very definite pledge by the late Prime Minister, not only on his own behalf, but also on behalf of his friends. I am not sure, after my right hon. friend's speech, that the pledge meant quite what we thought it meant at the time. Now the Act either comes into operation, or is repealed or modified.

An Hon. Member—Suspend it.

Mr. Bonar Law—I do not think it is practicable to suspend it. If we are to deal with that situation there seem to be four possible alternatives—only four. The first is to repeal the existing Act—(hear, hear); the second is Dominion Home Rule; the third to give "self-determination" to the representatives of the Irish people—that is, to create an Irish Republic—(hear, hear)—and the fourth, to give to Ireland the largest measure of Home Rule compatible with national security, and with the pledges given—and that is what this bill gives. (Loud cheers.) The repeal of the bill would not be possible to the Government. That is obvious, I believe—and in that I differ from my right hon. friend. I believe in the value to the nation of the continuance of the Coalition Government. (Hear, hear.) My right hon. friend takes a different view now from that during the years when he was Prime Minister, and those when he was head of a Coalition Government—a Coalition Government which was the worst of all such Governments, where power was shared with another party which had none of the responsibility. This is too big a question to be settled by any consideration of that kind, and if this policy of repeal were the right policy, and the policy of Parliament, I say at once it was time the Coalition was ended.

DOMINION HOME RULE.

There is not a man in this House who will not admit that the action of the Dominions towards the Empire depends upon themselves. Australia, Canada, and New Zealand could say to-morrow—"We will no longer remain part of the British Empire." We would not force them. Dominion Home Rule means the right to decide for themselves—to decide their own destinies. To say that he is prepared to give Dominion Home Rule means that the right hon. gentleman is prepared to give an Irish Republic. (Cheers and "No.") My right hon. friend shakes his head, but that is no answer. His speech commits him to it. From what I have said the House will see that in my view there is no difference between honestly granting Dominion Home Rule, openly given, and granting "self-determination" to the elected representatives of Southern Ireland. It is a possible policy. It is possible for us to say—"You say you need us; we don't need you; we never did. Go your own way, and be a Republic." But I know my right hon. friend in words repudiates that, and in his heart too. I would like to know what the attitude of the Labour Party to-day is. I listened to the speech of the right hon. member for Manchester (Platting) yesterday, and I rarely listened to a speech from anybody which was more disappointing. He talked about "self-determination" for Ulster, and all the rest of it. Apparently he is living in the world with his eyes shut, and he knows nothing of the facts of the case. He talks about "self-determination," and I put it to his party to say openly—Do they mean what their language implies: that if the elected representatives of Ireland want a Republic they will give them a Republic? (Cheers.) That is what "self-determination" means, and though none of the spokesmen of the Labour Party is willing to give a direct answer, there is a newspaper which more or less officially represents their view—the *Daily Herald*. I am bound to say that it is honest. It says over and over again in its leaders that "self-determination" means "self-determination," and if the Irish people want it, it is the duty of the Labour Party to give it. That is an intelligible policy. Put out of your minds the notion that because there is water between us it makes it any the less dangerous to have Ireland out of the orbit of our national defence. It is not any the less dangerous, and I would remind the House of this. I say it is a possible policy. It is possible that some day the Labour Party, when they have got into power, and when they express their views in words, may say—"That is the policy we will adopt." That policy has never been adopted by any nation in the history of the world, except after defeat, and under compulsion. It was against such a policy that, until the late war, the longest and most bloody war in recent history was waged in the United States.

WHERE WE ARE GOING.

Let us see clearly where we are going. I say it is a possible policy. I do not mean to say that it is the policy of this country, but I do wish to ask anyone who talks in this loose way of "self-determination," without meaning it, to see exactly where it leads to, and ask themselves are they prepared to follow that road to the end. I exclude that as a possible alternative. Then there remains as the only one, the attempt to give a measure of self-government to Ireland as complete as our national security permits. We have tried to do it. My right hon. friend, influenced I think largely by his past, thinks very badly of our attempts. It has one fault. At the outset he finds three Home Rule Bills. Nothing like this was in any one of them. Three Home Rule Bills have failed. Therefore the moral is—you must make the fourth the same as the other three. (Hear, hear, and laughter.) As I listened to him I could not help thinking that, with his long record about Ireland, his feeling of responsibility for it, he had also the feeling that no suggestion could be any good which did not come from him.

PROPOSALS EXAMINED.

Let us look at this proposal. First of all, my right hon. friend's speech was directed against our setting up two Parliaments in Ireland. That is the basis of his objection. He had some curious arguments in support of it. He says—Ireland is a poor country, but you have two Parliaments, two Exchequers, two Courts of Justice. I hope he knows something about the history of the Dominions. Precisely the same thing is happening to-day in Canada. It is not only happening in prosperous provinces like Ontario and Quebec, but in the West of Canada, where there is poverty and the population is smaller. I should like to know if the real objection to our proposals is, not that we have left the six counties out and kept them in the United Kingdom, but that we have set up a separate Parliament. Let us examine it. My right hon. friend assumes, without an argument in support of it, that this is done to make the union of Ireland impossible. In what conceivable way can having the six counties with a Parliament of their own make the union of Ireland more impossible than having them as part of the United Kingdom? What is the difference? I will tell the House and my right hon. friend that we approached this question without the smallest prejudice, by no means regarding it in itself as a matter of principle. We approached it simply as the best way of trying to arrive at a settlement which would hold out, as possible and probable, the unification of the whole of Ireland.

THE CASE OF ULSTER.

When people talk, as they did yesterday, about the ascendancy of the minority in Ireland, they talk as if this was done to please Ulster.

A Nationalist—"Certainly it is."

Mr. Bonar Law—Well, I did not consult the Ulster members on the subject. ("Oh!") I assumed they did not like this as well as being left in the United Kingdom. (Cheers.) Their claim has always been—"We are citizens of the United Kingdom. (Cheers.) We are willing to accept anything which applies all round, but we are not willing to be treated separately." We made this proposal because we thought it would help to make the union of Ireland possible. (Cheers.) There was another object. Nationalist members used to say—England does not know anything about Ireland; leave it to Ireland to look after itself. By this proposal we take away the whole power of interference by England, and it is left to Irishmen to settle their differences for themselves. (Cheers.) We make it plain that the cause of the Irish trouble is not difference between England and Ireland, but differences between Irishmen and Irishmen. (Cheers.) Look at it from another point of view. My noble friend said yesterday—and I quite agree—that, much as we wish to keep on the best of terms with America, we shall do what is right, and trust to that for winning the respect of Americans. But it is not merely America. It is our self-governing Dominions. I have hardly ever met an Australian or Canadian coming to this country for the first time who did not say to me, "Why don't you let them have Home Rule? Why does England interfere?" Very well. To all of them we say—By this bill England has ceased to interfere. Irishmen have the power of having their government in their own hands the moment they can agree among themselves. (Cheers.) Referring to the six-county proposal, he said that in 1916 both sections thought that a fair settlement. I say, he continued, that this House has a right to regard it now as a fair settlement. (Cheers.)

Mr. Harbison dissented.

Mr. Bonar Law—In reply to the interruption of the hon. gentleman opposite, let me say that the six counties is what they agreed to. Look at it from another point of view. Mr. Asquith quoted the speech of Captain Craig yesterday. That is not surprising. He said that in his belief there would be no union in the lifetime of any of us. That is in the future. How can anyone forecast the future? Let me point this out. If we had kept the whole of Ulster what would have been the position? We would have been told by every Nationalist on the opposite benches that three Ulster counties were identically in sympathy with the rest of Ireland, and that it was monstrous to exclude them from Southern Ireland. They would have said so, and would they not have been right? What are the questions which most interest popular sentiment in all countries? They are such questions as education and licensing. Is it not far fairer when you are doing these things to put as many subjects as possible under the Parliament they prefer?

THE QUESTION OF UNION.

Look at it from another point of view. They say that it is going to prevent possible union. That is a very short-sighted view. If anyone remembers the history of Ireland he will know this—that so long as we can keep alive sectarian bitterness, that will be the only party issue. If the whole of Ulster had been in the Parliament, the other side would have tried to keep that as the whole issue of this arrangement. By this arrangement the six counties will fall into normal lines. Mr. Clynes said yesterday that you cannot ignore the Labour movement. If you free these six counties you will free them from this old quarrel, and they will take new directions. I have seen something of these six counties, and I think they are the most democratic population in these islands. If my right hon. friend is right, there will be a movement towards union. It is much more likely to come when it is left to natural causes, free from the old struggles, than if you had had in the Northern Parliament nothing but the old sectarian bitterness. Captain Bean yesterday dwelt upon the real union of the O'Neills and the McNeills with the rest of Ireland. He seemed to think that an argument against our bill. I cannot follow him. What our bill does is to leave Irishmen to come together as soon as they agree. If they are all of the same way of thinking, is there not more chance of their coming to an agreement in that way than in any other?

THE CENTRAL COUNCIL.

My right hon. friend says that the Central Council is purely humbug. It is exactly the amount of humbug that the right hon. member and his friends choose to make. It gives the machinery for the closest co-operation between the two Parliaments if they agree. If they do not agree, what is the good of talking about giving Ireland unity only with its consent? I can imagine nothing that would more inevitably create harm than an arrangement under which the two Parliaments were forced to work together. The result simply would be that the one would interfere with the other, that neither would get self-government, and that Ulster would really get the veto that Ulster tries to exercise. With regard to the Convention, what I should like to say about that is this—We say that by our proposal there is nothing obviously on the face of it more contrary to the ultimate national union of Ireland than if the excluded area were left under the control of the Convention. I say that there is great hope in this proposal, which I do not think will exist in any other form of proposal.

THE OATH OF ALLEGIANCE.

I think the House has a right to know what would happen if the contingency suggested by the hon. member for the Scotland Division did happen. If the Sinn Feiners were in a majority, and refused to work our bill, what would happen would be that instantly we would revert to the present position. If the bill does not make it clear, it must be made perfectly plain that until the Parliament is properly constituted and has taken the oath the Act cannot come into operation. (Cheers.)

An Hon. Member—That applies to Ulster?

Mr. Bonar Law—Most certainly. May I point out to the House that in my view—I should like members to look at this question as broadly as possible, and not from party prejudice—in my view there is great ground for hoping that this will ultimately succeed. (Cheers.) Let the House bear this in mind. If the whole of the South of Ireland is composed of people who will have nothing but a Republic, no settlement is possible. If, on the other hand, as we have been so often told, there is a large element among the Nationalist population who are reasonable people, I do not believe that when they see these powers before them, and see them working in the rest of Ireland, they will refuse to take advantage of them. When that Parliament is working the whole motive of the South of Ireland will be to get Ireland united. There are only two ways to take—either by coercing them or by convincing them. This is a problem of eight hundred years' duration. It has worried this generation more than any other. I do not say that I am very sanguine that we are going to get a settlement now. It will take time. But I do say that this Government, this Parliament, will take a grave responsibility if it follows the views of the right hon. gentleman and closes the door on the one chance of finally getting peace. (Loud cheers.)

MR. JOSEPH DEVLIN.

Mr. Joseph Devlin denied that the Nationalists agreed to the permanent exclusion of the six Ulster counties from the Home Rule Act as a result of the negotiations in 1916. He said that the arrangement come to was a purely temporary one for the period of the war. Mr. Bonar Law was one of the chief causes of the destruction of that arrangement, along with Mr. Walter Long and Lord Lansdowne. Otherwise, he believed that the arrangement arrived at could have been carried out. He confessed that he could not understand the present bill even yet. "It seems to me," said Mr. Devlin, "to have been conceived in Bedlam and drafted by F. E. Smith." (Laughter.) Did anybody imagine that such a bill would touch the imagination or command the goodwill of the American people? America regarded Ireland as a nation. He claimed that the Irish Convention secured substantial unity. The only point on which there was any difference of opinion was on the question of Customs. Never once was there a proposal made by the Ulster members in favour of partition.

Sir Edward Carson—Oh, yes.

Mr. Devlin, continuing, said that this bill made six counties the master of Ireland. The proposed geographical division of Ireland was grotesque. The best thing the Government could do was to drop the bill altogether. Nobody wanted it.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL WALTER GUINNESS.

Lieutenant-Colonel Walter Guinness said that some evil spirit seemed to possess every British Government which drafted a Home Rule Bill, and to seal their eyes against the writings of experience. Surely the Government should have learned that extreme measures could find no way out of the present Irish problem, and that if they were to impose a settlement that settlement must be one of compromise. If the Government wanted to find a true compromise, and to meet moderate Irish opinion, they could have started with the heads of agreement already provided for them by the Majority recommendations of the Irish Convention. It was true that the majority scheme did not protect Ulster, but it should be quite easy to give Ulster some such local Parliament as was given under the bill, with power to veto legislation of the Irish Parliament which might otherwise be imposed on Ulster. The Leader of the House asked whether they objected to local Parliaments. Of course they did not. For the moment they recognised that local Parliaments, especially in Ulster, were necessary; but what they objected to was that there was no real central Parliament. (Hear, hear.) He did not lay too much stress on what the Prime Minister thought two years ago, but it was disastrous from the point of view of Ireland that this Government should have veered round, and instead of adopting the Majority Scheme of the Convention, with safeguards to Ulster, should have adopted a scheme which safeguarded no one. With regard to the Southern Unionists, the bill would deliver them over, defenceless and unheard, to their enemies. As the bill was drafted, it would cause more bitterness and strife than existed now. He also criticised the financial proposals of the bill, which he described as being admirably designed to create a maximum of friction. While there was a strong historical case for treating Ireland generously in regard to finance, she would, under this bill, be tied hand and foot. The bill showed England's distrust of those who trusted her, and entrenched the position of those who ever sought to do England injury.

Sir Samuel Hoare said that he could not regard the bill as a final settlement of the Irish question, and he was not sure that he could support the third reading, if certain amendments were not made in Committee. But it was the only practical proposal before the House at the moment. The powers of the Central Council should be greatly strengthened in regard to finance.

Major-General Seely supported the bill because, he said, it contained the machinery by which a united Irish Parliament could be achieved. He honestly believed that this was the best way to arrive at the end. The Government, however, should make it clear to Irishmen that if they agreed among themselves they would have what was called Dominion Home Rule. If the Prime Minister would make that declaration he would not regret it. The Government should take advantage of the changed spirit of the House in regard to Ireland, and pass the bill into law speedily.

SIR MAURICE DOCKRELL.

Sir Maurice Dockrell said that he represented a section of the community which would be most grievously affected by this bill. He had the honour of being the only Unionist member south of the Boyne, and in that way he represented 350,000 Protestants, as well as several thousand Catholics of moderate opinions. Allusion had been made in the course of the debate to the services that had been rendered to that country in the hour of its difficulty in the matter of recruiting. He could say without egotism, as Chairman of the Dublin City and County Recruiting Committee, that they were able to raise 25,000 of the finest men ever sent to the fighting line on behalf of this Empire. They were proud of that result, and they had sent forward men of whom anybody might be proud. He had personally given a pledge that he would never consent to the partition of Ireland. The second pledge was that he would not consent to any coercion of Ulster, and the next was that he would not consent to any Parliament for the whole of Ireland that did not include Ulster. (Laughter.) Absurd as that might seem to be, it might result from the report of the Commission presided over by the Speaker to bring the whole of Ireland into line. As an Irishman, who dearly loved his country, he would be delighted at that result. He represented about a tenth of the population of Ireland, and the reason why the people who sent him there objected to the bill was that it consigned them to a permanent inferiority. They could, they believed, in a Parliament of the whole country, achieve considerable results. The bill was, in his opinion, a pure dream, not a practical matter—an epic full of imagination. They had in Ireland a medical officer who had lived to a very old age. He gave as the secret of his longevity that he ate two of everything. When he read the bill he wondered if the Government by any chance had invited to London his dear old friend, who was so enamoured of two of everything. (Laughter.) It was a bill which had undoubtedly been closely studied, but he thought he could almost discover evidences of brainstorm. It reminded him of the man who made a hole in the door for the cat, and another for the kitten. (Laughter.) They found the phrase: "identical Acts," and constituent Acts. In the second clause the definition was given: "In all subsequent references identical Acts will be constituent Acts." It reminded him of the old lady who was enamoured of the blessed word Mesopotamia, and he suggested that that would be a more correct synonym for the identical Acts and constituent Acts, and he made a present of it to the Government. (Laughter.) Having established these two Parliaments, they cherished the idea that, once established, they would execute upon themselves a happy despatch. He noticed that the Leader of the House did not seem to be wildly enthusiastic about the prospects of success of the two Parliaments.

THE COUNCIL.

A great deal had been made of the Council of the two Parliaments. Under Clause 10 they had practically no power at all, and were reduced to a mild debating society. They might make suggestions, but they had no legislative effect. The only power that was, was the power of managing the railways. He could imagine that the Parliament for the Southern portion would be in Dublin, and the Parliament for the North would be in Belfast, but this Council would have no habitation. He suggested that they should arrange to run trains from Dublin and Belfast to the Boyne, and on the viaduct over the Boyne they would meet, and considering they would have nothing to do, they would have a jolly fine lunch, and go home. (Laughter.) His intention at that stage was to make a *prima facie* case against the bill. They were told that there was to be a grand gala day with love and affection, and falling on one another's necks, and that was to be the end of all their troubles. God grant it might be so, but he had his doubts. Did Clause 17 mean that it would be possible for Irish members in that House to be wiped out altogether? There should be some understanding that if the bill went through they should be allowed to preserve in undiminished number at least the 42 members under the bill. If it was to be a bargain that they were to be reduced to 42 he would like it to be a bargain. He contended that this was a vastly inferior measure to what every Irishman would desire, and it would be difficult to bring them together. With all the energy he could command he should oppose this bill. He was a supporter of the Government, although he had found it necessary on two or three occasions to break away from them. But on the question of Home Rule for Ireland he was absolutely opposed to them. The Chief Secretary for Ireland, concluded Sir Maurice, speaking on the previous evening, said this might be "The lay of the last minstrel." I think if he proved to be that I should only be damning him with faint praise if I said that if he were the last he was not the worst. In difficult circumstances he has played a very fine part, and it will be possible to say in future that he ranks with some of the Chief Secretaries of whom we can be proud.

Sir William Davison said that the step which the bill proposed was a dangerous one to take at the present time.

Colonel Stephenson, in a maiden speech, said that he would vote for the bill. Although he thought that it did not go far enough, and left much to be desired, it opened the door to further advances.

Mr. S. Walsh expressed full agreement with every statement made by Mr. Asquith.

Mr. Donnelly said that he believed that the bill would be as injurious to Ulster as it would be to the whole of Ireland.

Sir A. Fhirley-Benn feared the passing of the bill would be fraught with a great deal of danger, but said that after Mr. Bonar Law's speech he would not oppose it.

Sir Ernest Wild said that the bill was a monument of constructive statesmanship. It was a daring experiment to try to solve the apparently insoluble.

General Page Croft said he believed that the only real solution was the establishment of an Irish Parliament on Federal lines within the United Kingdom. It would be a grave blunder to force this bill on Ireland.

Mr. Howard Gritten condemned the bill, and said that he could not vote for it.

The debate was adjourned.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

MURDER MUST CEASE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—It is most dreadful to read day after day in your columns of fresh murders and attempted murders. It is almost more dreadful to learn that such a system of terrorism exists that men will not come forward to give evidence and to assist the authorities in the detection of crime. I was glad to read an excellent charge some days ago of one of our judges, in which he expressed the wish that in every one of our newspapers the words should be printed in broad letters—"Murder must cease." I am certain that the great majority of our people have no sympathy with crime and violence; but some have, or seem to have, persuaded themselves that crime is not crime when it is for a political object. Others again have never learned that it is the duty of all citizens to help the authorities of their country in the investigation and detection of crime.

Yet in most of our churches, both Protestant and Roman Catholic, the story in the Gospel of the suffering and death of our Saviour was read in the Service appointed for last Sunday, and will be read in many churches every day this week. Will not every one of your readers who believes in our common Saviour join in prayer—especially on Good Friday—that Ireland may be delivered from the stain of innocent blood, and that we may be able to "pass our time in rest and quietness"?—Yours, etc.,

B. R. BALFOUR, D.L., Co. Louth.

March 30th, 1920.

BIRDS AND BRITONS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—All bird-lovers must have welcomed your leading article on the Plumage Bill. It seems that all the higher education of women, the vote, the opening of professions, etc., have made no change in what Browning wrote about in "The Lady and the Painter":—

He. What
—(Excuse the interruption)— clings
Half-savage-like around your hat?

She. Ah, do they please you? Wild-bird-wings!
Next season, Paris-prints assert,
We must go feathered to the skirt;
My modiste keeps on the alert.
Owls, hawks, jays—swallows most approve.

He. Dare I speak plainly?

She. Oh, I trust!

He. Then, Lady Blanche, it less would move
In heart and soul of me disgust
Did you strip off those spoils you wear,
And stand—for thanks, not shillings—bare,
To help Art like my model there.
She well knew what absolved her—praise
In me for God's surpassing good,
Who granted to my reverent gaze
A type of purest womanhood.
You—clothed with murder of His best
Of harmless beings—stand the test!
What is it you know!
That you jest!

Please let me assure "C. H. B." that I did not shut a window on a robin. It had got between the panes of the upper and lower parts of an open window. To move the window in any way would be sure to break the bird's legs. All that could be done—and a ticklish job it was—was to lift the robin up with the tips of one's fingers. In its haste to escape it left its tail-feathers behind, to the horror and amazement of the rescuer. Other robins, chaffinches, and tomtits, and once a wren, that got jailed in the same way let themselves be carried down in both hands and let fly when we got into the open air. The downstairs windows opened French-wise, except the back ones.

It is very kind of "C. H. B." to forgive me for sins that I did not mean to commit. I did not know that he was an Englishman. Our figurative way of speaking displeases him. Is not the tact that instinctively feels and avoids what would needlessly pain others or cause them discomfort akin to the feelers of the harmless insect I spoke of?

It is King George's challenge that "C. H. B." must take up on behalf of his "maligned country." What was in my mind, while writing the words that have offended him so much, was the earnest appeal that the King made soon after he came to the Throne to the headmasters of the English public schools to teach their boys to be mannerly. The King said that the rudeness of English tourists on the Continent was causing much injury to England. Doubtless "C. H. B." will fall upon me again for saying that Englishmen are never weary of belauding English rule in India and elsewhere, always as if Englishmen alone had any part therein. If the Irishmen and Scotchmen were removed from the list, how many would remain? The Life of Lord Lawrence (who was called "Irish Paddy" and kicked at an English school, and called "English John" and kicked at Foyle College) shows that India would have been lost to England in 1857 but for a little knot of old Foyle College boys and one old Dungannon schoolboy—John Nicholson. What wars may not have been averted by Lord Dufferin's tact and geniality? Had England not been mad, Lord Roberts's warnings would have saved us from the horrors of the war.

Animals know when people are in sorrow and would fain comfort them, and not alone dogs and cats. More than twenty years ago, as a flock of sheep was going back from being washed, someone who was in deep grief drew aside to let them pass; one of them paused and put its nose gently into her hand. It comforted her as no human words could have done.

The ancient Irish believed in the transmigration of souls. Most people must have noticed the human look in a dog's eyes, so that of pathetic eyes we sometimes think they are like dogs' eyes. (I have seen such eyes in a bishop's head.) About a quarter of a century ago I was one day going into the Castle grounds in Kilkenny. Just inside the door there was a dachshund. When I spoke to it it looked up at me with a look that haunts me still. A human soul looked out of its eyes, and said as plainly as words could say it, "Help me!"

Will "C. H. B." please say who wrote the verses that he quoted some weeks ago—"Into my heart an air that kills From yon far valley blows"? Also, why Englishmen cannot get up an hour earlier except their clocks are made to tell lies?—Yours, etc., "K."

Queen's County, March 29th, 1920.

IRISH JOURNALISM.

Mr. H. S. Doig, barrister-at-law, editor of the Dublin *Evening Mail*, has resigned that position, and joined the *Freeman's Journal*, in an administrative capacity. Mr. Hooper, the editor of the *Freeman's Journal*, who has been seriously ill, will shortly resume duty. Mr. Doig also has resigned the position of Irish Correspondent of the *Daily Mail*, which he held for the past few years.

BANK OF IRELAND MALE CLERKSHIPS.

At the last 14 examinations pupils of Ross College, Stephen's Green, Dublin, gained 160 Appointments, with First Place on 9 occasions.—(Advt.)

THE CORK INQUEST.

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in pattern. He did not remember the Lady Mayoress telling him that the Lord Mayor had telephoned to the North Infirmary about Constable Murtagh's death. The Lady Mayoress said that the men who entered the house were tall men, but he did not ask what height they were or whether they were stout or slight. He had not carried out any investigation into this murder since, as he was detailed for night duty.

SHOOK HANDS WITH THE LADY MAYORESS.

Constable Jeremiah Sullivan, St. Luke's Police Station, stated that he was stationed at Blackpool Barracks up to 22nd March, and was well known to the Lady Mayoress. He corroborated the evidence of the last witness as to the movements of the police party that was on duty in King street on the night in question. He did not see a group of thirty men passing through King street marching in military formation, but he had a hazy recollection of seeing a civilian talking to three policemen at Dobbin's side of King street. Alluding to the visit of the military and police to the Lord Mayor's house, the witness said that on the way there the officer in charge asked him questions; and the witness dealt at some length with the respectability of the Lord Mayor and the Lady Mayoress. He assured the officer that he would have no trouble with them. The officer asked me, continued the witness, if the Lord Mayor gave his word of honour that he would go quietly without being handcuffed would he be safe in taking him. (Laughter.) I said "Yes; you can take his word for anything." When the Lady Mayoress told them that the Lord Mayor had been shot it gave him a great shock. He told Constable Murphy, to whom he said "Ah, God, the Lord Mayor is shot." Subsequently he had a conversation with the Lady Mayoress, who said—"My good husband was shot dead by disguised men, with their faces blackened." She then added—"Who are they going to kill now; is it my brother?" He said, "They won't kill anyone, ma'am." (Laughter.) He said further that they came to arrest the Lord Mayor. She said that it was a pity that they did not come sooner. He said, "May God comfort you." (Derisive laughter.) She spoke about the condition of health that she was in and appealed to him to get the military out of the house. He replied, "May the Sacred Heart of Jesus comfort you; I will." He went upstairs and found there a number of women, who were screaming and crying. He asked a young woman, a Miss Duggan, of Blackpool Bridge, and also a soldier, where was the officer, and got no reply. He went back to where the Lady Mayoress was, and she complained of being cold. He offered her his cape, but she did not accept it. She said that it was grand to hear the Lord Mayor recite an Act of Contrition, and that he had the priest before he died. He referred to Constable Murtagh's death, and she asked had he a priest or was the priest in time. She also said that her husband was always against taking human life, and he replied, "That's the best for himself now." He sympathised with her in her loss, and hoped that the Sacred Heart of Jesus would comfort her. He shook hands with her on leaving. The Lady Mayoress treated them all with the utmost courtesy, and they, in return, treated her with the utmost courtesy, respect, and sympathy.

Cross-examined by Mr. Lynch, the witness said that it was when he read the evidence of the postman in the paper that he recollected seeing a group of eight or nine men going along King street. (Laughter.) He could not recall any other body of men.

Constable William Murphy, King street Station, gave corroborative evidence, and the inquiry was adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10.30 o'clock.

COURTMARTIAL SENTENCES.

Joseph McMurray, civilian, of Ferguson street, Londonderry, was tried by district courtmartial at Londonderry on 2nd March, 1920, on charges under Regulation 9 A.A. Defence of the Realm Regulations, of having in his possession, without a permit, eleven ball cartridges and a Mills bomb case. He was found guilty, and sentenced to 42 days' imprisonment, with hard labour.

Michael Ward, civilian, of Boyle, Co. Roscommon, was tried by district courtmartial at Galway on 11th March, 1920, on charges under Regulation 9 A.A. Defence of the Realm Regulations of having in his possession, without a permit, a military rifle and 21 rounds of service rifle ammunition. He was found guilty, and sentenced to one year's imprisonment, with hard labour.

John Larkin, junior, civilian, of Bellagherty, Co. Londonderry, was tried by district courtmartial at Belfast on 15th March, 1920, on charges under Reg. 9AA. D.R.R. of keeping without a permit three revolvers, a sword, and a quantity of ammunition and explosives. He was found guilty and sentenced to two years' imprisonment, with hard labour.

Andrew Reilly, civilian, of Shantimon, Ballyhaise, Co. Cavan, was tried by the same Court at Belfast on the above date on a charge under Reg. 27 D.R.R., of having in his possession a number of the "Official Organ of the Irish Volunteers," containing, among other matter, the following passages:—

"As long as our country remains in the military occupation of an alien Army, so long must the Army of Ireland be the chief instrument of executive power of the Irish Republic." "A year ago we compared the Irish Volunteers to an Army in the trenches, whose activities were confined to occasional trench raids and sniping. Since then the raids and sniping have greatly increased in frequency; in fact, a situation has been created which more resembles guerilla warfare than a trench blockade. This shows how ludicrously ineffective has been the enemy's campaign of military 'frightfulness' in Ireland. He has tried to terrorise, and rule the Irish people by a policy of raids and captures; he has been shown that two can play at that game, and his spies and agents have learned that their occupation is a dangerous one. It has been found that zeal in the service of England does not pay in this country." "We will strike in our own way, in our own time. If we cannot by force of arms drive the enemy out of our country at the present moment, we can help to make his position impossible and his military activities futile. The work of procuring arms and equipment must be carried on with the utmost energy."

The attack on soldiers at Fermoy was also referred to in terms of high commendation. A slip of paper found on the accused showed that 32 copies of a number of this publication had been sent to him for distribution.

The accused pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to one year's imprisonment, with hard labour.

James Coughlan, civilian, of 74 Evergreen road, Cork, was tried by district courtmartial at Cork on the 19th March, 1920, on charges under Reg. 48, D.R.R., of having in his possession notes on methods of destroying railways and a formula for making an explosive. He was found guilty and sentenced to one year's imprisonment with hard labour.

Charles Daly, civilian, of 5 Glenview terrace, Douglas road, Cork, was tried by the same Court at Cork on the above date, on charges under Reg. 9 AA., D.R.R., of having in his possession without a permit an automatic pistol, with ten cartridges. He was found guilty and sentenced to nine months' imprisonment, with hard labour.

Daniel Owens, civilian, of Rocklawn, Douglas road, Cork, was tried by the same Court at Cork on the above date, on a charge under Reg. 9AA., D.R.R., of having in his possession without a permit a revolver. He was found guilty and sentenced to nine months' imprisonment, with hard labour.

Paul John Vignoles, civilian, of 127 Evergreen street, Cork, was tried by the same Court at Cork on the above date, on a charge under Reg. 27, D.R.R., of having in his possession a number of the "Official Organ of the Irish Volunteers." This contained an article headed "Guerilla Warfare," passages from which run as follow:—

It is the duty of Volunteers to recognise in all their plans, in their methods of training and study, and in their general outlook, the existence of this state of guerilla warfare tactics which we have found most serviceable in dealing with actual conditions in Ireland at present, and bring them to the highest pitch of perfection of which they are capable. It is our business to wage war against the forces of the invaders whenever and however we find it can be done most effectively. Of all the forms of "small wars," that most dreaded by Imperialist armies of conquest is a prolonged guerilla warfare, in which they are unable to obtain a moment's security nor gain any opportunity of effectively crushing their ubiquitous foe. Particularly do they dread the adoption of well-organised guerilla tactics by a civilised foe of keen intelligence and courage. Surprises, ambushes, raids on their fortified positions, sniping at their stragglers, capturing of their arms and equipment, interruption of their communications, interference with their intelligence, are to be apprehended by them daily, and their forces are driven more and more into the position of invested garrisons in the midst of a hostile country, afraid to venture from their strongholds except in force, living in a state of perpetual apprehension. That such a state of affairs exists to a great extent in Ireland at present is obvious to all; and it is the business of the Irish Volunteers to see that it continues, grows more intense, and more menacing to the invaders.

He was found guilty and sentenced to six months' imprisonment with hard labour.

The evidence showed that the four accused, Coughlan, Daly, Owens, and Vignoles were arrested by District Inspector McDonagh, R.I.C., at the Sinn Fein Club, Charlotte quay, Cork. They were searched, and the arms, ammunition, and documents charged were found upon them.

The same Court also tried the following on 19th March:—

Michael Whelan, civilian, of Enniscorthy, Co. Wexford, charged under Regs. 32 and 48, D.R.R., with stoning a party of police who were escorting two prisoners to the railway station at Enniscorthy, and with inciting a crowd to attack the party on their way back from the railway station to the barracks. He was found guilty and sentenced to one year's imprisonment with hard labour.

Patrick Byrne, civilian, of Enniscorthy, Co. Wexford, charged under Reg. 9AA. with having in his possession without a permit ten cartridges for an automatic pistol was found guilty and sentenced to nine months' imprisonment with hard labour.

Fashionable Intelligence

The Marquis and Marchioness of Sligo have left London for the South of France.

The Countess of Mayo has arrived at Palmerstown, Co. Kildare. She will return to London after Easter.

The Countess of Courtown, who has been in London for the past month, returned to Courtown House, Gorey, yesterday.

Lord Dalmeny has arrived in Dublin from London.

Sir John and Lady Dillon have returned to Lismullen, Co. Meath, from London.

Sir Walter Nugent returned to Donore, Westmeath, yesterday from England.

Lady Kathleen Gaussen, who has been visiting the Earl and Countess of Bandon at Castle Bernard, Co. Cork, has returned to London.

Lady Sheelah King Tenison left Kilronan Castle, Co. Roscommon, on Monday for London.

Sir Herbert Goff arrived at Kingstown yesterday from London *en route* for Glenville, Waterford.

Sir Andrew Armstrong has left Gallen Priory, King's County, for London.

Major O'Malley Keyes, who has just returned from a tour round the world, arrived in Dublin yesterday from London.

The marriage arranged between Lieutenant J. C. Colvill, Royal Navy, eldest son of Robert F. S. Colvill, Esq., Coolock House, Co. Dublin, and Beryl, eldest daughter of the Honble. W. F. J. Dundas, 69 Westbourne terrace, London, W., will take place on Monday, April 12th, at 2.15, at St. James Church, Sussex Gardens.

Miss Barry has returned to 25 St. Stephen's Green from London.

The Viscountess Powerscourt has issued invitations to a meeting (by kind permission of the Council) in the Theatre of the Royal Dublin Society, Kildare street, on Thursday, April 15th, at three o'clock, to further the interests of the May Fête, which she is organising in aid of the National Children's Hospital, Harcourt street. Lady Powerscourt and some other eminent speakers will address the meeting, and there will be some music by distinguished artists. The public are invited to attend.

Special display of New and Exclusive Gowns, Costumes, Blouses, Golf Coats, Millinery, Skirts, Gloves, Neckwear, etc., for the Easter Holiday at Switzer's, Grafton street.

For Easter Holidays—A delightful choice of Sports Hats in Suede, Angora, Panama, etc. Sports Coats in all the Newest Materials. Sports Skirts in Lovely Tweeds and Rainbow Stripes and Checks, New Sports Shirts—At Holmes', George's street.

New Veils and Gloves for Easter. Soft, Natural Chamois Pull-on Gauntlet Gloves, 8s. 11d., 8s. 11d. Suede-finish Fabric Gloves, in Ficelle, White Natural Beavers, Greys, 2 pearl buttons, 2s. 11d. pair—At Holmes', George's street.

Race Suit in Navy Gaberdine, with self-crossbar stitching, coat long, gathered slightly at waist, price 13 guineas, at Slyne's, 71 Grafton street.

Fascinating Undies and Kiddies' Frocks at Slyne's, Grafton street and Harry street.

Arrivals at Kingstown per Royal Mail Steamers.—The Countess of Mayo, Sir John F. Dillon, Lady Dillon, Sir Walter Nugent, Hon. J. F. Browne, the Countess of Courtown, Sir Herbert Goff, Lieut.-Colonel Ormsby-Johnson, Major O'Malley Keys, Lord Dalmeny, Sir Stanley Cochrane, Colonel McCann, Captain and Mrs. Murphy, Doctor Dorothea Tudor, Captain and Mrs. F. F. C. French, Captain C. J. Newport, Lieutenant-Colonel A. T. A. Magan, Doctor Harold L. Mooney, Lieut.-Colonel A. E. Cotton, Captain Mortin Hewett, H. V. Hare, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lagan, H. S. Gill, Mr. and Mrs. Legge, E. C. Vigors, Mr. and Mrs. Foster, J. Eric Goodbody, W. Shaw, B.A.; J. P. and Mrs. Conry, A. P. Lennane, A. M. Banon, J. Scannell, D. Meagher, H. J. Fanshawe, P. B. Kerfoote, W. J. Branagan, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Crawford, H. R. C. Rutherford, A. Brown, E. C. Bewley, H. S. MacDowel, D. O'Hara, R. D. Pringle, A. D. Pringle, Mrs. Walpole, Miss Russell, Miss Dillon, Mrs. Cecil Pery, Miss Allen, Mrs. Blennerhassett, Mrs. and Miss Lloyd Evans, Mrs. E. M. Symes, Miss Cooper, Miss Pane, Miss Pritchard, Miss Amy French, Mrs. J. Scannell, Mrs. Jack Sullivan, Mrs. Glasgow, Miss M. E. Pim, Miss E. Halliday, Miss A. E. Pim.

Departures from Kingstown per Royal Mail Steamers.—Doctor McEvoy, Sir Andrew Armstrong, Colonel Jameson Davis, Commander Russell, Lady Sheelah King Tenison, Lady Kathleen Gaussen, Major and Mrs. J. M. Simonds, Captain and Mrs. Burgess, Captain and Mrs. Breffet, Colonel W. Pitt Taylor, Doctor J. G. Crown, Lieutenant-Colonel T. G. Ruttledge, Captain and Mrs. de Groot, Captain and Mrs. Howard, Major J. W. McConnell, Lieutenant-Colonel Newman Craig, D.S.O.; Canon Cosgrave, Major and Mrs. T. E. Musgrave, Doctor F. L. Flood, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Fawsett, Mr. and Mrs. Flood, Mr. and Mrs. Swaine, F. J. Hicks, J. Eric Goodbody, S. Shannon Millin, E. F. Collins, Miss A. Burns Gemmel, Mrs. Follis, Miss McEvoy, Mrs. Beresford, Miss E. Pryce, Miss W. A. Blood, Mrs. Talbot Crosbie, Miss Talbot Crosbie, Miss Rae, Miss Dodd, Miss MacLoone, Miss Whitefield, Mrs. J. C. Goodbody, Mrs. Clummer, Miss Gaussen, Mrs. Penrose, Mrs. Bailey, Miss Flynn, Mrs. Glasgow.

Superb Collection of Spring Fashions on show at McBirney's this week.

"Our Boys'" House are at present showing a very large selection of Boys' and Youths' High-Class Clothing and Outfitting at very moderate prices.—24 Wicklow street.

Beautiful Collection of Costumes, Gowns, Wrap Coats, Millinery, and Sports Coats now on view at Davis (late Ogilvy's), 45 Grafton st.

New Millinery for Easter. Moderate prices. Inspection invited.—M. Cathcart, 26 Dawson st.

To LADIES—Elastic Stockings, Belts, and Medical Appliances. Special department for ladies on 1st floor. Female attendant.—Fannin and Co., 41 Grafton st.

Mourning Orders Executed on the shortest notice. First-Class Goods. Prices Strictly Moderate.—Davis (late Ogilvy's), 45 Grafton street.

"Spirella Corsets."—The Spirella Corset Parlour, 45 Grafton street, Dublin.

Black and White, Grey and Mixed Tweed Costume, All-Wool Materials, 6½ Gns.; Very Special.—Davis (late Ogilvy's), 45 Grafton st.

Visit Carolan's, 4 St. Andrew st. (late Sackville st.), for exclusive Millinery. Moderate prices.

ESCORT FOR BANKERS.

Our Youghal Correspondent says that a number of men from the Killeagh district arrived in Youghal yesterday by motor car, and escorted the manager and another official of the Provincial Bank to the railway station on their way to Killeagh Fair. The bank officials carried a large sum of money for the convenience of the bank's customers attending the fair. Another escort met the train, and went with the officials to the sub-branch of the bank.

MILK TRADE IRREGULARITIES.

In the Southern Police Court, before Mr. Cooper, K.C., yesterday, the Rathmines Urban District Council prosecuted Bryan Mahon, Shamrock Dairy, Dundum, for having sold milk deficient in fats to the extent of 33 per cent. Mr. Shannon prosecuted for the Council and Mr. E. H. Burne defended. It was pleaded that the deficiency was due to irregular milking. Defendant was fined 10s. and 10s. costs.

The Millstreet Co-operative Dairy Society was prosecuted at the instance of the Dublin Corporation in respect of the adulteration of skim milk with 4.8 per cent of water. A fine of 10s. and 40s. costs was imposed.

Margaret Mooney was also prosecuted by the Corporation, and fined 10s. for selling milk deficient in fats to the extent of 20 per cent. Mr. E. H. Burne appeared for the defence.

Sarah Mullen, Sandymount Green, was prosecuted by the Pembroke Urban District Council for having sold milk containing 14 per cent. of added water. Mr. E. H. Burne prosecuted and Mr. D. Quaid was for the defendant. A fine of 40s. was imposed.

In the Northern Police Court, before Mr. Lupton, K.C., Mary A. Ingoldsby, 37 Arran quay, was prosecuted for selling half a pint of milk deficient in fats to the extent of 23 per cent. It was claimed that the milk was sold as supplied to the defendant. A fine of £5 was imposed. Mr. Burke, Assistant Law Agent, prosecuted on behalf of the Corporation, and Mr. J. K. Woods defended.

Further Allegations.—In the Southern Police Court, the Mourne Abbey Co-operative Dairy Society, Mallow, was prosecuted at the instance of the Dublin Corporation for selling milk deficient in fats to the amount of 10 to 43 per cent. on various dates. Twenty summonses were issued in respect of samples taken at Kingsbridge. Mr. T. F. Burke appeared for the Corporation, and Mr. E. H. Burne for the defendant company. The summonses were adjourned for three weeks on the application of Mr. Burne, as the manager of the company was ill.

A summons against Michael Dinneen, taken out by the South Dublin Guardians in respect of milk supplied to him by the Mourne Abbey Co-operative Dairy Society, was allowed to stand over meantime. Mr. Roche (instructed by Messrs. Neilson and Dawson), appeared for the defendant.

Y.M.C.A. ELOCUTION CLASS.

The annual competition in connection with the Young Men's Christian Association Elocution Class, conducted by Professor Edgar, was held in the large hall of the Association buildings, Sackville street, Dublin, last night. Two silver medals were offered, and the competitors included Messrs. S. Stratford, G. W. Cooke, E. Chapman, E. J. Savage, Falkner, A. E. Clarke, D. H. Calvert, J. Copeland, and J. Edgar. Mr. T. Chevois contributed mandoline solos during the evening, and Miss Robertson played pianoforte selections, and also acted as accompanist. The judge, Mr. M. D. Collins, at the conclusion of the competition, congratulated the class on having kept alive the importance of speech in opposition to dumb show in recitals, such as was found in picture houses. It was a pity to see such a falling off in vocal drama in Dublin. Speaking of the competition, he said that he had taken 100 marks as his standard, and he awarded 90 marks to Mr. E. J. Savage and 80 marks to Mr. J. Copeland, whom he declared winners of the medals. Dr. Wright presented the medals to the winners, and a vote of thanks was passed to the judge. The proceedings concluded by the singing of the National Anthem.

RAILWAY CLERKSHIPS (MALE).

G.S. and W. Rly. exam. announced for 28th Apl. M.G.W. Rly. exam. announced for 3rd June. 50 Railway Clerkships have been obtained by Students of SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 Stephen's Green, Dublin, since March, 1918. BEST RESULT. Special Oral and Correspondence Classes working.—(Advt.)

THE AMERICAN MARKETS

STOCKS CLOSED IRREGULAR.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

Stocks opened irregular, influenced by yesterday's money flurry, but soon Steels, Equipments, and Oils advanced, and became strong on the improved monetary outlook and a persistent inquiry for high-priced Oils. Stutz Motor gained 41, Crucible Steel 12, and others of that class 1 to 6 points. There was selling of specialities, however, late in the session, which caused the market to finish irregular.

CLOSING PRICES:—

Eng. Parity.	Stocks.	Closing Bid Prices M'n.	Closing Bid Prices Tues.	Business Done. H.	Business Done. L.
130½	U.S. 2% Funded	101	101	—	—
137⅝	U.S. New 4% Loan	106½	106½	—	—
105⅛	Atch., Top. Santa Fe	81½	81½	—	—
101⅜	Do. Preference	78	78½	—	—
97⅜	Do. New 4% Gen. Mt.	78½	75½	—	—
107½	Do. 4% Con. Bds.	83½	83½	—	—
44⅞	Baltimore and Ohio	35½	34¾	—	—
158⅞	Canadian Pacific	122	122¼	—	—
73½	Chesap'ke Ohio Com.	56½	57	—	—
47½	Chic. Mil. & St. Paul	38⅞	37	—	—
110⅞	Chicago & N. West	85½	85½	—	—
151⅛	Do. Preferred	117	117	—	—
9⅛	Denver & Rio Grande	7½	7	—	—
17⅞	Do. Preferred	13¾	13¼	—	—
17⅛	Erie Railroad	14	13½	—	—
29⅝	Do. 1st Preferred	22	22	—	—
57½	Do. 4% Gt Lien Bds.	44½	44½	—	—
108¾	Gt. Northern Pref.	81½	81¼	—	—
49⅝	Do. Ore Certificates	39⅞	38	—	—
117⅜	Illinois Central	90½	90½	—	—
5⅞	Interboro' Cons Co.	4¾	4¼	—	—
58	Lehigh Valley	44¾	44¾	—	—
136¾	Louisville & Nashville	105½	105½	—	—
11¾	Miss'ri, Kan. & Texas	8⅛	8½	—	—
37⅝	Do. 2nd Mt. 4% Gd. Bd	29½	29½	—	—
36¾	Missouri Pacific New	28	27½	—	—
19¾	Nat of Mexico 1st Pf	14*	13*	—	—
8⅛	Do. 2nd Pf.	6½*	6½*	—	—
96⅞	N.Y. Ctl. & Hudson R.	74½	74½	—	—
124⅜	Norfolk & West'n Com.	96	96½*	—	—
103⅛	Northern Pacific Com	80	80	—	—
24⅜	Ontario & Western	19	19	—	—
55⅛	Pennsylvania Shares	42½	42½	—	—
109	Reading Shares	84½	84½	—	—
45½	Do. 1st Preferred	35	35	—	—
102	Do. 4% Mt Bds	78½	78½	—	—
46⅝	Chic. Rock I. Pacific	36½	36½	—	—
30⅛	Southern Railway	23½	23½	—	—
74⅛	Do. Preferred	57½	57½	—	—
128⅝	Southern Pacific	99½	99½	—	—
55	Texas and Pacific	43½	43	—	—
154⅜	Union Pacific	119½	119½	—	—
85⅛	Do. Pref.	66	66	—	—
105⅞	Do. 4% Bonds	82	81½	—	—
11⅛	Wabash Common	9	8½	—	—
35⅛	Do. Preferred A	27¾	27¼	—	—
88⅜	Amr. Smlt. Refin Com.	68	68½	—	—
81⅛	Anaconda Copper	63½	63¼	—	—
24⅜	British American Tobacco Ord. New	19	19	—	—
100⅝	Utah Copper	77½	77½	—	—
113⅞	N.Y. Cons Gas	88⅛	88	—	—
204⅛	General Electric	158	157¼	—	—
104⅛	National Lead	82	81	—	—
134⅝	U.S. Steel Common	103¾	104	—	—
145⅞	Do. Preferred	112½	112½	—	—
124⅛	Do. 2nd 5% Bds.	96	96	—	—
124	Beth.ehem Steel Cm.	—	—	—	—
—	New "B"	95½	95½	—	—
—	Silver Commerc'l Bars	126¾	126½	—	—
126⅞	Anglo-French 5% Loan	98	98	—	—
46⅛	Inter. M.M. Com. Cts.	35½	35½	—	—
121⅛	Do. Prefd Certs.	93¼	94	—	—
134⅜	Royal Dutch Oil	103½	104¼	—	—
102⅛	Shell Transport	77¼	79¼	—	—
255⅛	Mexican Petroleum	196	197½	—	—
132	Pan-American Pet.	100¾	102	—	—
—	Do. Pref.	—	—	—	—
—	Mexican Eagle	—	—	—	—

* Asked. † Ex div. ‡ Bid. § Ex rights.

	Monday.	Tuesday.
Call Money	9b. 10a.	9b. 10a.
Ex. on Lond'n, 60 days' sight	3.88.50	3.81.50
Ex. on Lond'n, Demand Bills	3.92.50	3.85.50
Cable Transfers	3.93.25	3.86.25
Ex. on Paris, sight	14.48.00	14.96.00
Berlin Cheques	1.04	1.39
Cotton, Middling, Upland	41.50	41.50
Cotton Seed Oil, P. Summer, Yellow Spot	19.90	19.75
Cotton Seed Oil, Yellow, May	19.68	19.38
Petroleum, Refined, in cases	27.00	27.00
Do. Standard, White	23.50	23.50
Do. Credit Bal.	6.10	6.10
Spirits of Turpentine	240	245
Lard, Prime Western Steam	20.40	20.40
Do. Midland West	20.35—45	20.35—45
Tallow, Special	15½	15⅜
Sugar, 96 Test, Centrifugal	13.04	13.29
Corn, Western, No. 2 Mixed	181⅛	181⅛
Wheat, Red Winter, New Crop	—	—
Do. No. 1 Duluth	—	—
Do. No. 2 Hd. Winter (New)	—	—
Do. No. 1 Nth. Manitoba	—	—
Coffee, Rio, No. 4	16	16
Flour, Spring Clears	9.50—10.25	9.50—10.25
Iron, No. 2 North'n. Foundry	43—46	45—46
Tin, Straits	62.50	63.50
Copper, Spot	18¾—19	18¾—19
Electrolytic Copper, Spot	Steady.	Steady.
Freight, Grain, steamer to Liverpool, per bushel	Nominal.	Nominal.
Freight, Grain, steamers to London, per bushel	Nominal.	Nominal.
Freight, Cotton, to Liverpool	130—150	130—150
PHILADELPHIA.		
Petroleum, Standard White	23.50	23.50
NEW ORLEANS.		
Cotton, Middling	40.50	40.50
SAVANNAH.		
Spirits of Turpentine	225	225
Resin, Grade K	17.50	17.50

PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

CORN receipts—Atlantic 53,000, last year 32,000; clearances nil, last year nil.

LARD—Cash easy, with prime Western and middle West unchanged.

COFFEE opened steady, 3 points up to 6 down. The market closed steady, 3 points up to 2 down. Spot steady and unchanged.

	May.	July.	Sept.	Oct.	Dec.
To-day	14.33	14.60	14.33	14.31	14.28
Prev. day	14.32	14.62	14.32	14.31	14.28

SUGAR—Spot firm. Futures firm, 39 to 40 points higher. May, 12.99; July, 13.00; August, 13.00; September, 13.10. 36,000 bags of Cuban sugar were sold to-day to refiners at 13.29.

COTTON opened steady, 5 points down to unchanged. The market closed steady, although unchanged to 17 points down. Spot quiet and unchanged. New Orleans spot is also unaltered. Receipts—Atlantic, 10,000; Gulf, 19,000. Exports—Britain, 1,000; Continent, nil.

	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.
To-day	—	39.25	—	37.40	36.07	34.80
Prev. day	—	39.25	38.80	37.50	36.50	34.90

	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
To-day	33.75	32.06	32.08	31.86	31.68	31.68
Prev. day	33.80	32.78	32.03	31.38	31.38	31.32

COTTON OIL easy, with summer yellow spot 15 and May option 30 points down.

PETROLEUM, TALLOW, and IRON steady. TIN steady, 100 points up. ZINC (East St. Louis) [illegible] COPPER steady; Futures, 19.

WINNIPEG—Wheat—No. 1 Manitoba unchanged. Oats firm, 1c. up; May, 97. Wheat—Car-lot receipts—No. 1 hard nil, yesterday nil; No. 1 Northern 100,000, yesterday 96,000; No. 2 Northern 64,000, yesterday 36,000; No. 3 Northern 38,000, yesterday 30,000; No. 4 Northern 2,000, yesterday nil; other grades 181,000, yesterday 93,000. To-day's total 385,000, yesterday 245,000.

CHICAGO, Tuesday.

WHEAT on spot dull.

CORN opened steady, ⅛c. up. The market closed firm, 1⅛c. to ⅜c. up. March, 164; May, 157⅛; July, 151; September, 146⅛.

OATS steady, ⅛c. to ⅜c. higher. May, 86⅛; July, 79⅛; September, 69⅛.

PROVISIONS opened easy. The market closed irregular, with lard 7½ down to unchanged, pork 10 lower, and ribs 5 points up. Lard—May, 20.72; July, 21.52½. Pork—May, 36.40; July, 35.50. Ribs—May, 18.95; July, 19.42½.

BACON steady and unchanged.

HOGS—No market owing to the strike.

	Short Rib Sides.	Drysalted. Loose.	HOGS. Light.	HOGS. Heavy.
To-day	18.00	19.00	—	—
Previous day	18.00	19.00	15.40 15.60	14.10 15.25

CORK'S NEW LORD MAYOR.

A special meeting of the Cork Corporation was held last evening to elect a Lord Mayor in the room of the late Alderman MacCurtain. Professor Stockley presided.

On the motion of Alderman de Roiste, seconded by Alderman Barry, and supported by Sir John Scott, Mr. Terence McSweeney was unanimously declared elected.

Having been invested with the chain of office, the new Lord Mayor said that they saw in the manner in which the late Lord Mayor was murdered an attempt to terrify them all. Their first duty was to answer that threat by showing themselves unterrified, and cool and inflexible for the fulfilment of independence, and the integrity of their country, the peace and happiness of the Irish Republic.

RATHMINES RATES.

At a special committee meeting of the Rathmines Urban Council yesterday it was decided that the rate payable in respect of property in the township for the ensuing financial year would be 15s. in the £—8s. 4d. urban and 6s. 8d. poor rate.

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A large vessel, nationality unknown, stranded on the Goodwins on Monday night. A number of craft, including the Deal lifeboat, went to her assistance.

THE AMALGAMATED COTTON MILLS TRUST, LTD.

INCREASE OF THE CAPITAL.

BUSINESSES CONTROLLED BY THE COMPANY.

An extraordinary general meeting of the holders of Ordinary Shares in the Amalgamated Cotton Mills Trust, Ltd., was held yesterday at Essex Hall, Essex street, London, W.C., the Right Hon. Lord Fairfax (Chairman of the company) presiding.

The following resolution for the increase of the capital of the company was unanimously approved—namely :—

"That the meeting of holders of Ordinary Shares of the company hereby consents, on behalf of all the holders of such Ordinary Shares, to the increase of the capital of the company from £2,300,000 (divided into 800,000 Preference Shares of £1 each and 1,500,000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each) to £7,300,000 by the creation of 5,000,000 new shares of £1 each, and to the directors of the company being authorised at any time, or from time to time, but subject to the provisions of the company's articles of association, and subject (as to the shares mentioned therein) to an extraordinary resolution proposed to be passed for the issue of 2,250,000 of the new shares in satisfaction of a capital bonus, to issue all or any of the said 5,000,000 new shares of £1 each upon such terms and conditions and with such rights, priorities, and privileges as the directors shall in their absolute discretion think fit."

An extraordinary general meeting of the Amalgamated Cotton Mills Trust, Ltd., was then held, embracing all classes of shareholders, for the purpose of considering resolutions to increase the capital of the company as above, authorising the directors as to the issue of the 5,000,000 new shares, providing for the capitalising and distribution of the sum of £2,250,000 in respect of undivided profits now standing to the share premium account, and modifying the articles of association.

Lord Fairfax again presided.

The Secretary (Mr. S. Hutchinson) having read the notice convening the meeting,

The Chairman said—Ladies and gentlemen, it is only a very short time since I had the pleasure of addressing you at the annual general meeting, and I am sure you will be glad of the opportunity this special meeting gives of learning something of the developments and extensions to the company's assets, and the activities which have taken place in the operations of the companies controlled by the Amalgamated Cotton Mills Trust, Ltd., since our last meeting. Before dealing with the special resolutions I have to submit to you today, I desire to take this opportunity of outlining the company's present position and prospects.

The company was formed on the 12th day of October, 1918, and the original issued capital was £800,000, divided into 400,000 7½ per cent. Cumulative Preference Shares of £1 each, £400,000, and 200,000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each, £200,000, making £600,000. In addition the company granted a mortgage of £400,000.

With the cash obtained from the above the company acquired the whole of the share capital of Robert Hyde Buckley and Sons, Ltd.; John Ashworth (1902), Ltd.; Mill Hill Spinning Co., Ltd. In July, 1919, a further issue of £400,000 Preference Share capital was made, £200,000 of which was reserved towards reduction of the mortgage, and the balance of £200,000 was used in the purchase of the entire Ordinary Share capital of Eckersleys Cotton Trust, Ltd., which company owns practically all the shares of Eckersleys, Ltd., and the Acme Spinning Co., Ltd. Shortly after this purchase I had the pleasure of addressing you at the first annual meeting of the company, when I made the following statements :—

Your Board is pleased to be able to announce that the balance sheets and reports of these five companies (which have been submitted to us by the courtesy of the directors of the various companies) show that their position and prospects are very satisfactory, approximately 50 per cent. only of the net earnings being distributed in dividends. I have observed much speculation in the Press as to how much of our income is derived from the Eckersley's group of mills. These mills have only been in our group during the last four or five months, and their fiscal year did not synchronise with the other mills associated with us. I may say, however, that of our income only £20,000 has been derived from Eckersleys, Ltd., and the Acme Spinning Co., Ltd."

As you are aware, our financial year ends on the 31st of October, and the meeting referred to took place on the 2nd of December, 1919, and it is now my privilege to acquaint you with the further developments of the company since that date.

On the 19th December, 1919, the Beecham Trust, Ltd., for a fee of £10,000 agreed to subscribe for 1,500,000 Ordinary Shares at the price of £3 each, which shares were placed by them at the same price. With the proceeds of this money—namely, £5,500,000—the company purchased the whole of the Ordinary Share capital of Horrockses, Crewdson, and Co., Ltd.; the whole of the assets, stock etc., of the well-known firm of Messrs. Thomas Moss and Sons, the waste business of Messrs. Redmayne and Isherwood, Ltd., and Victoria Mills, Chorley. In the case of the acquisition of Horrockses, Crewdson and Co., Ltd., and Thomas Moss and Sons, I would particularly draw your attention to the fact that, although these businesses were bought by two members of your Board in their personal capacity, and at what was considered a very low price, they, nevertheless, turned over both these concerns to your company without any profit either directly or indirectly.

CONCERNS OWNED BY THE COMPANY.

With the notice summoning this meeting there was enclosed a chart and particulars of the various concerns now owned by this company, and from it you will obtain the knowledge that we are now a concern controlling forty-nine mills and wearing their heads, with an equivalent mule spindleage of nearly 2,000,000, about 16,000 looms, hundreds of workpeople's cottages and shops, and also are the proprietors of our own waste business and dye works; in fact, our company is nearly self-contained, and the aim and policy of the directors is to make it entirely so. In addition to this, last, but not least, our company already finds employment for over 14,000 operatives, about whose well-being I will have something to say later. During the year large extensions have been proceeding at Horrockses, Ickersley, Ashworths, and Robert Hyde Buckleys, which by the end of the year, without any further acquisitions, will considerably increase the spindleage and the capacity of the concerns.

ACCOUNTANTS' ANALYSIS.

At this juncture it would not be out of the way for me to give you particulars of an analysis as supplied to me by our accountants of the various businesses we now own or control. (1) The net liquid assets of the controlled companies, without allowing for the profits which have been earned since their last balance sheets, amount to one-half the outstanding mortgages, Debentures, and Preference Share capital of the respective companies. (2) After a fair allowance for the looms, warehouses, and buildings, such as houses, shops, etc., and freehold land, which are not part and parcel of our manufacturing concerns, and without allowing anything for the enormous goodwill of Horrockses, Eckersleys, Robert Hyde Buckleys, and our other concerns (which goodwill I am told would not be overrated at the nominal value of our share capital), the assets representing the spindleage stand in our books at considerably less than £1 per spindle, which is many times below their present-day value. In our deductions above, as I previously mentioned, nothing has been taken into account for the profits earned since the last balance sheet was presented to you, nor has any account been taken of our favourable cotton position, and I am glad to be able to assure you that our supply of cotton for the season is secured for the whole of our mills at prices considerably below those now ruling.

PROSPEROUS COTTON TRADE.

The cotton trade is, and is likely to remain, extremely prosperous for many years to come. With regard to the great question of production, I should like to point out that the production to-day is not equal to the demand for cotton goods. The wastage of spindles and looms all over the world, added to the reduced working hours of the operatives, has resulted in a great decrease in production, and in order to illustrate this in a simple way I would point out that the reduction in the output of the cotton trade as compared with 1914 is equivalent to at least seven weeks' stoppage in each year of the whole of the spindles and looms of Lancashire. It will interest our shareholders to know that the products of our various mills do not depend for their success upon the home or local trade, as our goods penetrate into every country and corner of the world. Our trade marks are honoured and respected in every market, and the limit of our orders is only reached by the capacity of our production. Never did the name of Horrockses, Eckersleys, Hyde Buckley, and our other mills stand higher, and we look forward to the future with confidence. Each concern which this company now owns was originally a private or a semi-private concern, and we have not disturbed their individuality, and, what is more, we secured the personnel and management of each concern we purchased that has been built up in several cases from generations of continued progression. The gentlemen who are now responsible as managing directors of each individual mill have been with the mills and the previous owners practically from the day they left school, and are as happy—so we are told—in the new ownership as they were in the old. We, on our part, have done nothing to disturb the policy of the whole of the concerns we now have the honour and privilege to control.

As you are aware, the cotton trade of Lancashire is a very highly-organised and technical industry, and it has been our aim to try and conform this company to the best of Lancashire ideals, and with that object in view we introduced a system of what we consider a perfect unification and control of the various businesses. For details and particulars of the unification, and also for a description of our mills, our relationships with the old personnel of the companies, and our operatives and their general welfare, I will, before submitting the resolution, call upon Colonel N. Sedden Brown, who is the managing director of all our mills and businesses, and for strength and resourcefulness a combination of great value and service to the companies. It is left to him to provide harmony, perfect working, greater economy, better buying and marketing of our products. I am pleased to report that the whole of our directors, including the Chairman (of Horrockses, Crewdson, and Co., Ltd.—Sir Frank Hollins, Bart.), have the highest regard for the diplomacy and tact of Colonel Brown. One of the duties that we have cast on to Colonel Brown and the auditors, with the advice of the Advisory Committee, is to try and perfect a scheme whereby our operatives shall participate in a prosperity of the companies, and, although such a scheme is fraught with many difficulties, we hope at an early date to arrive at a solution which will enable more of our employes to become shareholders or participate in some proportion in the profits of the business in which they are engaged.

Your directors have seen fit to continue pensions to the old workpeople in all cases where such pensions were being paid at the time the respective mills were taken over, whilst the subscriptions to hospitals and charities have been, and will be, kept up. You will be interested to hear that all the allied companies have contributed largely to the appeals by the Government, and they have also paid large sums to the Treasury by way of excess profits duty. All the capital which the directors have had occasion to issue up to the present has been arranged for at a remarkably low rate which works out at about one-fifth of 1 per cent. By reason of the fact that it is the policy of your directors always to keep a large reserve, the Executive Directors and the Advisory Committee are enabled from time to time, by giving increased financial facilities to any of the allied companies requiring same, to swell considerably the profits of the combination.

Many people in the cotton trade look forward with apprehension to the wage question which is now under discussion, but I feel confident that, on the one hand, cotton, spinning and manufacturing concerns are prepared to approach this subject in a reasonable and broad-minded manner, and, on the other hand, the operatives are well advised by their leaders, and will certainly not be so short-sighted as to make such unreasonable demands as would cripple the great industry and the prosperity which is at present being enjoyed by the employes, as well as the mill-owners, in Lancashire. I venture, therefore, to hope that a settlement may be arrived at which will be fair and equitable to all concerned.

PROFITS.

I have left to the last the feature which must doubtless be of great interest to you—viz., the profits of your undertaking. In December last I informed you that approximately only 50 per cent. of the earnings of the allied companies were distributed in dividends, and that we had still to reap the benefits of the Eckersley and Acme Mills, which represented at that time 20 per cent. more spindles than all the other companies controlled by us. The dividends paid last year amounted to 40 per cent., free of tax, on our then existing Ordinary Share capital. Our present position is most satisfactory, and our prospects are excellent, and justify your directors in declaring an interim dividend on the Ordinary Shares of 3s. per share, free of tax, payable to-day. This will absorb £225,000. No balance sheets have been submitted since our last financial year, but owing to the manner in which our various accounts are kept, a fair estimate of the profits week by week is obtained, and I am prepared to state that these will certainly be far greater than in the previous year in proportion to the capital involved. After Colonel Brown has given you a description of the works, details of how economies have been made, etc., I will deal with the reasons which have actuated us in putting forward the proposal for the increase in the capital. In conclusion, I should like to add that our company is another testimonial to the great genius of our friend and colleague, Mr. James White, whose vision and imagination is unequalled, and whose capacity for organisation and administration is unsurpassed, and by his activities the trade of Lancashire is rendered capable of greater development. I will now call upon Colonel Brown for his remarks.

COLONEL BROWN'S STATEMENT.

Colonel N. Sedden Brown—My lord, ladies, and gentlemen—Agreeably with the Chairman's request I now take great pleasure in giving you a few particulars, which, I hope, will be of interest to you, of our various mills and properties, and before I conclude I should like to tell you what schemes we have in view and in operation for the welfare and betterment of the conditions of our workpeople. To start with the properties you own, you will have seen from the chart which has been circulated to all shareholders what a magnificent block of mills are under the control of the Amalgamated Cotton Mills Trust, Ltd., but perhaps you would be interested to hear a little more detail concerning some of them. The great firm of Horrockses, Crewdson and Co., Ltd., is our largest branch. This is a combination of spinning and weaving mills, owning their own dye-works, which has traditions going back 130 years, and to-day standing side by side with some of the most modern mills in the world. We have working, probably for sentimental reasons, a mill which bears the date 1791. The products of Horrockses, Crewdson and Co., Ltd., are world-famed. Their cloth is known as "the cloth of the world," and not only is the name of "Horrockses" a household word in Britain, but the cloths bearing our name penetrate into every country you can think of.

Horrockses, Crewdson and Co., Ltd., make such a variety of cloths that it would take too long for me to enumerate them, but I would remind you that they are the makers of the famous long cloths, sheetings, flannelettes, diaphanes, drills, madapolams, poplins, nainsooks, dhooties, cambrics, taffeta ginghams, etc. The great trade of Horrockses has been built up by offering to the public cloths which are as good as it is possible to make them. Quality has been, and will still be, the first consideration always. If any of our shareholders like comfort, I can give them no better advice than to insist upon sleeping between Horrockses sheets, and our lady shareholders will know, without any advertisement from me, that the most beautiful lingerie in the world is made up from Horrockses cloths. To give you some idea of the demand for our cloths, a few months ago I called in all our travellers, and held a meeting in order to find out if our cloths were giving satisfaction to the buyers. The result of the meeting was an unanimous opinion amongst our travellers that they were being starved for cloth, and that they could sell far more than we produced. In view of this state of affairs, we are at the present moment building a large weaving shed, and are getting out plans to increase our looms gradually by about 4,000. Horrockses, Crewdson and Co., Ltd., own their own large warehouses in Manchester, and also have a warehouse in London. This warehouse accommodation enables them to keep stocks of finished goods for the convenience of their customers, to do their own packing and despatching, and provide space for the display of their manufactures. Horrockses, Crewdson and Co., Ltd., use over 800 bales of cotton a week, in addition to buying yarn to supplement their own spinning, and produce over 650 miles of cloth per week.

The next firm in order of magnitude is Eckersley's, Ltd. Eckersley's is also a firm with great traditions, with a history of 130 years' trade, and our trade marks are known all over the world. For instance, Eckersley's "Cat Head" trade mark is known and respected as a guarantee of quality and honesty in not only countries which are easily to reach, but in such distant countries as Persia, Syria, China, the Balkans, etc. It might interest shareholders to know that Eckersleys still do a large business with a business house that they were dealing with 100 years ago. The products of Eckersleys are chiefly for foreign export, and their water twist and extra hard bundles are second to none. This firm also uses over 800 bales of cotton per week, and, to give a simple illustration of what this means, if its production in yarn was put into a single thread it would produce a thread three million miles long in one week's working. To come to Robert Hyde Buckley and Sons—this is an old-established business producing the very fine yarns, singled, doubled, and gassed, and are makers of very high quality voiles, principally for Europe and America. Next we come to the Acme Spinning Co., Ltd., which has a trade somewhat different to the previous firms, making 36's beams and 42's weft for the home trade manufacturers. It might interest the shareholders to know that the whole of these mills are electrically driven by power produced on the premises by the most up-to-date turbo-generators, with the result that their power is very economical. John Ashworth (1902), Ltd., own two large mills, and are spinners of very fine super-combed yarns. Mill Hill Spinning Co., Ltd., have two mills in Bolton, and are engaged in spinning fine carded yarns, for which they have an excellent reputation. Thomas Moss and Sons, Ltd., are weaving mills, having three large mills containing 4,400 looms. They are makers of high quality cambrics and embroidery cloths. Redmayne and Isherwood, Ltd., are waste manufacturers and waste dealers, with excellent mills and warehouses. This firm has been acquired in order to deal with the waste produced from all our other mills to the best advantage.

To summarise the above descriptions of your properties, I should like to tell you that we have a wonderful combination of up-to-date and efficient mills producing most of the counts and cloths embraced in the whole cotton spinning and manufacturing trade. They are all able to produce on an efficient basis of cost, and the shareholders need not be afraid of fair competition in fact, our general trade is outside the ordinary bread-and-butter trade of Lancashire, and embraces many specialities. I should here like to emphasise we are spinners of both American and Egyptian cotton; we are manufacturers of cloth from both such products; we do heavy work and fine work; we have subsidiary and allied concerns which deal with our own waste products. We have warehouses and merchants' businesses, and we touch the cotton trade in nearly all its branches, and we go to the wholesaler in some directions and the retailer in others.

To turn to the management and control of the mills, I would first of all like to pay my tribute to the Advisory Committee and the managing director, Mr. James White. The Advisory Committee, without interfering with the actual management of the mills, takes from my shoulders and the shoulders of the various managing directors the great burden of finance. So strongly am I backed up in finance by Mr. White and the Advisory Committee that any scheme presented to them for the advantage of the various concerns is always immediately financed. There are times when huge sums of money are needed for the purchase of cotton in bulk or for extensions and alterations in plant, and the shareholders will realise what a weight is lifted from the management to have a strong Advisory Committee always ready to finance any scheme that is to the company's benefit. The actual management of the mills is in the hands of gentlemen who are highly efficient, and who, I am glad to say, are working well together. To turn for a moment in connection to the workpeople. You have heard that the company employs over 14,000 operatives, and I am glad to report that, to the best of my knowledge, a happy relationship exists between them and the management. Welfare superintendents have been appointed at six of our branches, and we are doing all in our power to make the lives of our operatives as happy as possible. The management realises that we are fortunate in having a very loyal body of workpeople, who, with the inherited skill of the Lancashire operative, and with their attention to duty, are doing all in their power to forward the prosperity of the company. I am strongly of opinion that there is a great future for welfare work. We have started in earnest in this direction, and I can assure the shareholders that the management is determined to go deeper into it. It might interest you to know that at one of our branches we have been busy all the winter making recreation grounds, comprising bowling greens, hockey fields, tennis courts, etc. We have got them out for the erection of canteens, in which good and cheap food will be supplied under the best conditions during meal hours, and the management of our various branches are now seriously considering many propositions for the benefit of our operatives. The Chairman has told you that at the moment my attention is engaged in trying to form a scheme whereby the operatives can, in some form or other, participate in the prosperity of the company. This is a matter in which I am very interested, and you can rely upon it that if I can do anything in this direction which will be appreciated by the operatives, it shall be done. Further, we have tried to find employment not only for our own soldiers who have returned from service, but have also found employment for many additional men, in an honest desire to take our share in the responsibilities all employers of labour have towards our brave men.

REASONS FOR INCREASED CAPITAL.

The Chairman—Ladies and gentlemen, I now deal with the reasons for the proposed increase in the capital of this company, embodied in the resolution to be submitted to the meeting. The issue of fully-paid Ordinary Shares to the Ordinary shareholders as a bonus needs no explanation. I now have pleasure in dealing with the latest acquisition made by the company. During the past week or two the directors have purchased the undertaking known as "John Haslam and Co., Ltd.," which includes the control of the following well-known subsidiary companies:—Haslam's, Ltd.; Haslam's Spinning Co., Ltd.; John Kershaw and Son (Bolton), Ltd.; Haslam Weaving Co., Ltd.; Riversdale Mill Co., Ltd.; Bolton Heald Co., Ltd.; Cetilar Clothing Co., Ltd. This purchase has been made on the advice of our technical advisers and accountants, at what we believe to be a very satisfactory figure. The concerns show a steady and progressive increase, and will form a valuable addition to the group of companies already controlled. The purchase price includes the profits for the past half-year, and we are assured that these figures at a moderate estimate are more than sufficient to pay a substantial dividend on all the capital required. The cotton position and the order books of the companies show a very favourable position.

On the resolution being passed, the balance of the share capital to be authorised to-day will be utilised to pay for the new acquisition, and the shares will be first offered to the shareholders of the company on advantageous terms, details of which will be sent to you at an early date. Although you will see that the directors are being empowered to issue the new shares upon such terms and conditions as they think fit, it must be clearly understood that the rights of the existing Preference Shares will be in no way affected or interfered with. I have now pleasure in proposing the following resolution, which I will ask Mr. Stephenson to second.

"That the company hereby sanctions the increase of the capital of the company from £2,300,000 (divided into 800,000 Pref. shares of £1 each and 1,500,000 Ord. shares of £1 each) to £7,300,000 by the creation of 5,000,000 new shares of £1 each."

Mr. A. R. Stephenson—I have much pleasure in seconding the resolution which has been proposed by the Chairman.

Mr. J. B. Braithwaite—Mr. Chairman, I take it that the payment in connection with the purchase of Haslams will be made in cash?

The Chairman—Yes.

Mr. Braithwaite—And that you will issue the 2½ million shares for which you have got power on terms which we hope will be satisfactory to us in order to provide this cash?

The Chairman—Yes.

Mr. H. J. Prockter—Mr. Chairman, I should like to congratulate the Board upon trying to evolve a scheme to make every individual employe interested in the company, for I feel sure that the more we do that in this country the sooner we shall do away with strikes. (Applause.)

The motion was then put to the meeting, and carried unanimously.

The Chairman then moved :—

"That the directors of the company be, and they are hereby authorised, at any time, or from time to time, but subject to the provisions of the company's Articles of Association, and subject as to the shares mentioned therein, to the resolution next following to issue all or any of the said 5,000,000 new shares of £1 each upon such terms and conditions, and with such rights, priorities, and privileges as the directors shall in their absolute discretion think fit."

Mr. A. L. Ormrod seconded the motion, which was approved.

The Chairman next moved :—

"That the sum of £2,250,000 derived from the premiums paid to the company on the subscription of part of its existing share capital and representing or deemed to be undivided profits of the company (which sum forms part of a sum of £2,600,000 now standing to the credit of a special reserve fund called "share premium account") shall be capitalised and distributed as a capital bonus among the members of the company holding Ordinary shares whose names appear in the register of members on the 30th day of March, 1920, in proportion to their respective rights to participate in the profits of the company, and that the directors of the company or, and they are hereby authorised, to distribute, in lieu of cash, fully-paid shares in the capital of the company in satisfaction of the said bonus to the members, and in the proportions before mentioned—that is to say, to each member holding Ordinary shares at the rate of three new shares for every two shares already held by him, and that the new shares to be so distributed be issued as Ordinary shares, ranking for dividend and in all other respects *pari passu* with the existing Ordinary shares in the capital of the company."

Mr. Stephenson seconded the motion, which was agreed to.

The Chairman then proposed :—

"That the Articles of Association of the company be altered in manner following—that is to say :

(a) by cancelling Article 24 altogether, and substituting therefor the following new Article—namely, '24—The transfer books and register of members may be closed during such time or times as the directors think fit, not exceeding in the whole thirty days in each year.'

(b) by substituting in Article 82 the word 'ten' for the word 'seven.'

(c) By deleting in Article 85 the words and figures "each director shall be entitled to the sum of £500," and substituting therefor the words and figures following—namely :

"The Chairman shall be entitled to the sum of £2,500, and each director shall be entitled to the sum of £1,000," and by deleting the words "the directors" in each place where those words occur in the same article, and substituting therefor the words "the Chairman and other directors."

Mr. Shaw seconded the resolution, which was carried unanimously.

The Chairman—That concludes the business of the meeting.

Mr. J. B. Braithwaite (of Foster and Braithwaite, 27 Austin Friars)—I think, ladies and gentlemen, you would hardly wish to separate without according to his lordship and his colleagues on the Board a very hearty vote of thanks for the extremely able way in which they are administering the affairs of the great company with which we have the privilege to be connected. I should like especially to emphasise the wise policy which they are pursuing in placing the interests of the operatives on the same level as the shareholders. I always feel in any company that I am connected with that the welfare of the people who work for us is the first charge on the profits; the second charge is service to the public, and the shareholders come last. Where this is wisely done all these three ends are carried on together, and I am extremely glad to hear that a system by which our operatives will be able to participate in the prosperity of the company is in some way being worked out. There are many such schemes, and they are difficult to work out for individual cases; but so long as it is being done, and we have such able administrators serving on the Advisory Committee and such able gentlemen on our Board, I am sure the Amalgamated Cotton Mills Trust can look forward to a prosperous future. I have very much pleasure in moving a hearty vote of thanks to Lord Fairfax and his colleagues for the very able way they are administering the affairs of the company, and to his lordship for his conduct in the chair to-day. (Applause.)

The proposition was duly seconded and carried by acclamation, and, the Chairman having acknowledged the compliment, the proceedings terminated.

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PROVINCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

STRIKES IN DUNDALK—More than three hundred labourers struck work in Dundalk yesterday morning. The men, who are employed in the two local breweries and the distillery, are members of the Workers' Union. The local failure, who had been on strike for a week, have returned to work, their demands having been acceded to.

SOLDIER KILLED ON RAILWAY—The body of Gunner Walter Hopkins, R.F.A., Fermoy, was found cut in two yesterday morning on the railway line at the Pike Bobreen Bridge, Fermoy. The upper portion of the body was naked, and the lower portion was found some distance away, the right leg being cut off from below the knee.

WESTMEATH LICENSED PREMISES GUTTED—The licensed premises and residence of Mr. Patrick Weir, Multyfarnham, Co. Westmeath, were burned to the ground a few days ago whilst the proprietor and Mrs. Weir were in Mullingar. The fire originated owing to an oil lamp exploding.

BELFAST'S FIRST WOMAN MAGISTRATE—Lady Pirrie has been appointed a Justice of the Peace for the City of Belfast.

FEIS CEOIL ASSOCIATION.

The Executive Committee of the Feis Ceoil Association met on Thursday last, Mr. T. S. F. Battersby, K.C., presided. There were also present—Miss Pauline Risner, Mrs. F. J. Geoghegan, Mrs. Edmund Lupton, Mr. F. P. Griffith, Mr. Henry Maguire, Mr. Edmund Lupton, K.C.; Rev. Prof. George O'Neill, Miss Edith Mortier, Hon. Sec., and the Registrar.

Arrangements were made to hold the competitions in the Antient Concert Rooms, May 3rd to 8th. The office will be open to-day and to-morrow, from 10.30 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Entries close at middle fees on the latter date. The office will be closed for the Easter vacation from Good Friday to Tuesday, April 6th.

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SPORTING NEWS.

NOTTINGHAM MEETING—YESTERDAY.

After a lot of rain on Monday evening, the going at Colwick Park yesterday proved rather holding, but overhead conditions were delightful. Backers made an excellent start, the slight shade of odds last on Nobody's Child being easily landed. In the Sherwood Selling Plate, Melit and Ring of Roses had the market to themselves, and also the finish, but Ring of Roses easily beat the other, and was then sold to Mr. F. Archer for 310 gns. The majority of them contesting the Robin Hood Plate were running for the first time, and one of these supplied the winner, Lady Neil-making all the running, and winning by half a length from the well-backed Cranford colt, who must not be missed when he runs again. The Newark Three-Year-Old Handicap, the chief event of the day, led to some spirited wagering, in which Damar and Savile Row settled down joint favourites from Bow Street and Welsh Woman. Little could be seen of the first two furlongs, but it was then observed that Wanton was leading from Chrysopolis at the distance. Carslake then drew Chrysopolis to the front, and he drew clear fifty yards from home, and won easily. Details:—

2.0.—WILFORD PLATE, £200. 5 f.
Major J. Power's b. c. NOBODY'S CHILD, by Sleipner—Daughter of the Regiment, 9-10 ..... J. Reed 1
Mr. W. Griggs' FIRST OUT, 8-7 ..... A. Clarke 2
Mrs. E. Dickson's PHALERIAN, 8-7 ..... W. Saxby 3
Also ran—Weepsea (Piper). Penalty (Robbins). (Winner trained by Newey.)

Betting—11 to 10 on NOBODY'S CHILD, 5 to 1 each sst. Weepsea and First Out, 7 to 1 Phalerian, 100 to 8 Penalty.

Won by a length and a half; four lengths.

The winner was sold to Mrs. E. Dickson for 550 gns.

2.30.—SHERWOOD PLATE, £300. 6 f.
Mr. Wootton's br. m. RING OF ROSES, by Sunflower II.—Impression, 5, 7-6 ..... A. Smyth 1
Mrs. R. Field's MELIT, 4, 8-2 ..... Will. Griggs 2
Capt. C. Sykes' HUMBERDALE, 4, 7-3 scr. 7-10 ..... Garnett 3
Also ran—Winfrith (Lane), Pencyl (G. Bezant). (Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. Melit, 13 to 8 RING OF ROSES, 10 to 1 Pencyl, 100 to 8 any other.

Won by a length and a half; two lengths.

The winner was sold to Mr. F. Archer for 310 gns.

3.0.—ROBIN HOOD PLATE, £150. 5 f.
Mr. H. Kent's b. f. LADY NELL, by The White Knight—Nell H., 8-9 ..... Griggs 1
Mr. A. de Rothschild's C. by ROSSENDALE—Lady Enfield, 8-12 ..... C. Childs 2
Mr. T. Richards' BE HOPEFUL, 9-12 ..... Shatwell 3
Also ran—Oulcake (Fox), Flight's Fancy (G. Hulme), Royal Emerald (Spear), Cosmopolitan (P. Jones), Stella Gem (Evans), Freda (F. Templeman), Peach Bloom (F. Leach). (Winner trained by Wal. Griggs.)

Betting—7 to 4 agst. Flight's Fancy, 15 to 8 Cranford colt, 11 to 2 LADY NELL, 100 to 7 any other.

Won by half a length; three-quarters of a length.

3.30.—NEWARK 2-Y-O. PLATE, £300. 1 m.
Lord Durham's b. c. CHRYSOPOLIS, by Rochester—Chryseis, 8-9 ..... B. Carslake 1
Mr. T. Morris's WANTON, 7-0 ..... A. Clarke 2
Lady Cunliffe-Owen's DAMAR, 7-10 ..... J. Leach 3
Also ran—Welsh Woman (Will Griggs), Stellite (Slade), Sweet Dorothy (F. Fox), Bob Caldwell), Savile Row (Spear), Featherstone (Lane), Bow Street (Weston), Rigolo (Crickmore). (Winner trained by G. Peck.)

Betting—5 to 1 each agst. Savile Row and Damar, 4 to 1 Bow Street, 6 to 1 Welsh Woman, 10 to 1 each Stellite, Sweet Dorothy, and Featherstone, 100 to 8 CHRYSOPOLIS, 100 to 6 any other.

Won by three lengths; six lengths.

4.0.—BESTWOOD PARK PLATE, £200. 5 f.
Sir W. Cooke's ch. c. DIVIDE, by Sundridge—Frisky Floors, 4, 9-1 ..... F. Slade 1
Mrs. R. Dickson's PIRATES, 8-13 ..... Weston 2
Mr. E. Short's REDWINGS, 3, 7-13 (car. 7-10) ..... Livesey 3
Also ran—Sentry (F. Fox), Bidston (G. Hulme), Yoshiwara (Garnett), Florence (E. Fox), Tension (J. Leach), Cantara (H. Brennan), Fairest (Ramsth), Delight (H. Jelly), Prince Orb (A. Clarke), Orange Prince (Slater). (Winner trained by Dewhurst.)

Betting—5 to 2 agst. DIVIDE, 11 to 4 Pirates, 6 to 1 Bidston, 8 to 1 Tension, 10 to 1 each Orange Prince and Cantara, 100 to 7 Prince Orb, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by a head; four lengths.

4.30.—BENTINCK PLATE, £160. 1¼ m.
Capt. A. Wilson's ch. c. COUNT ROSS, by Rosedale—Gold Mach, 5, 7-9 (car. 7-4) ..... Shatwell 1
Sir R. Jardine's JANE EYRE, 3, 6-13 ..... A. Balding 2
Mr. M. Bode's TALBOT, 3, 7-2 ..... Cricksmere 3
Also ran—Wheat Duck (Weston), Land Square (Challiss), Strophe (Garnett), Condor (J. Leach), Trinia (A. Smyth). (Winner trained by Renwick.)

Betting—11 to 10 on NOBODY'S CHILD, 5 to 1 Talbot, 7 to 1 Wheat Duck, 8 to 1 Jane Eyre, 100 to 8 any other.

Won by a length; a short head.

An objection to the winner for boring was overruled.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

City and Suburban, Epsom—Athletic, Birmingham Meeting—Coventry Plate—Milkmaid and Swift Arrow. Packington Handicap—Sesostris. Manchester Meeting—Lancashire Chase—Troylown. Cheltenham Hurdle—Kirkharle. Easter engagements—Dornoch, Dorado, and Nadine. Leicester Meeting—Bottesford Handicap—Golden Bill. Glen Selling Handicap—Tinky Poo. Selling Handicap—Wee Mou. Kempton Park Meeting—South-Western Plate—Capelan, Readsham Stakes—Swift Arrow. Plumpton engagements—Dorado, Valentine Maher, Mossel, White Ronald, Fircrest. Cardiff engagements—Valentine Maher, Parapluie, and Magic Web. Brough Hall Handicap, Catterick—Watergruel. New Stand Handicap, Catterick—Vanilla. Uttoxeter engagements—St. Blane, Meynell Hunter's Chase, Uttoxeter—Huntingtower and He Says. Derbyshire Hurdle, Uttoxeter—Nant Coch. Manchester, Bangor, and Uttoxeter engagements—Landlord. Croome Hurdle, Pershore—Lady Greenleaves. Champagne Stakes, Doncaster—Orby's Queen. Grosvenor Plate, Newmarket Craven—Swift Arrow. National Breeders' Produce Stakes, Sandown—Bello of Ireland colt. All engagements—Pearl Bridge, Hirst Road, Magic Prince, Irish Colour, Centaur, Skein Dhu, Ampie Time, Twilight V., and Sheraton. All engagements this year—Petro. All engagements where a hunter's certificate is required—Rockcorry. All engagements where there is a declaration of forfeit last Tuesday in March—Glenroe, Forest Fire, Velvet Glove, Gasper, and Smokeless. All engagements in Mr. P. F. Heyburn's name—Gasper. All published handicaps under both Rules—Thermotone. All engagements—Lonvois Star, Father Bamain. All engagements in Duc Decase's name—Rapodant. All engagements in Madam Varinoli's name—Cutting, L'Espion, Leicester.—To-day.—Three-Year-Old Handicap—Novel, Abdicate, Bottesford Handicap—Le Sud, Monastic, Durham Plate—Ostlemate, Mirrell, Godby Prince, Flight, Lets, Cameo, Dho Dheen fly. To-morrow—Worksop Plate—Sly Star. Apprentices' Plate—Orsan, Syston Handicap—Starshot, Axford, Burst Off.

THE SCRATCHING OF SOUTHERN.
(PRESS ASSOCIATION FOREIGN TELEGRAM.)
CAPE TOWN, MONDAY.

With reference to the scratchings of Southern, Sir Abe Bailey says:—The Jockey Club has unanimously decided that Southern cannot be reinstated and the scratchings must, therefore, hold. He entirely agrees with their finding, which is absolutely correct in his opinion. Sir Abe Bailey was very astonished by the cable giving the news of the mistake.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Troytown returned from across Channel to Dublin yesterday morning per the Holyhead route and London and North-Western Company's steamer to the North Wall. Arravale also arrived by the same steamer.

Troytown was struck out of the Lancashire Steeplechase on Monday.

Entries close to-day for all races at Milltown-Malbay on 27th April, all races at Ballina on 30th April, and the Maiden Plate and Gowran Plate at Gowran Park on June 10th.

The Antwerp Olympiad will start with the skating tests from April 20 to 30, for which entries have been received from Belgium, England, France, the United States, Finland, Sweden, Norway, Switzerland, and Italy.

Reassurance arriving in the Bristol Channel report that many Turf transactions were done by wireless at sea last week. Passengers and officers alike received information as to the races and the horses, and made full use of it to back their fancies.

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LEICESTER MEETING—THIS DAY.

PROGRAMME.

1.50—GOPSALL PLATE, £150. 6 f.

	Age	st. lb.
TOPPER'S POLLY (Mrs. Verschoyle) ..... C. Young	a	9 2
THE WISH (Mr. J. Morrison) ..... Nugent	3	9 12
LOMOND'S PRIDE (Mr. W. de Fleslo) ..... J. Rhodes	5	7 9
LADY PICTON (Mr. J. Hall) ..... Leader	3	7 8

(Above have arrived.)

LANDORE (Mr. F. Benson) ..... Hyams	4	9 7
ENBORNE (Mrs. H. Cooper) ..... Cooper	3	9 2
PANTO STAR (Mr. W. Henshall) ..... Dodd	3	9 2
WINEFRITH (Mr. T. Biggs) ..... Poole	4	9 0
WILD FLOWER (Mrs. Kitson) Stevenson	4	9 0
HELENCOURT (Mr. A. Calvert) C. Waugh	3	7 13
FUNNY FACE (Capt. Bewicke) ..... Bewick	3	7 13
ALLENSMORE (Capt. G. Davy) ..... Private	3	7 9

2.20—OADBY PLATE, £300. 3 f.

	st.	lb.
GRAND PRIX (Mrs. E. Dickson) ..... Parkes	8	11
LITTLE BORRIT (Sir John Robinson) ..... R. Renwick	8	11

(Above have arrived.)

PEARL BRIDGE (Mr. W. Parrish) D. Rogers	9	4
WOODCHURCH (Mr. C. Clarke) ..... Private	9	0
DESTRIER (Lord Derby) ..... Lamplugh	9	0
HALF-A-CROWN (Mr. W. Dixon) ..... Lines	9	0
WHAT ABOUT (Sir A. Bailey) ..... R. Day	9	0
SPRING (Mrs. D. Fitzgerald) ..... J. Reed	8	11
THE GLEANER C., by Junior (Mr. J. St. V. Fox) ..... J. Jarvis	9	0
CHUMMY (Mr. C. Hailey) ..... Norwood	9	0
ULSTER LAD (Mr. F. Hardy) ..... Hogg	9	0
SIMPLE SIMON (Mr. W. Joynson-Wreford) ..... Darling	9	0
MARINE (Mr. J. Owen) ..... Pope	9	0
CHRISTOL C., by Bridge of Allan (Mr. E. Bedford) ..... R. Day	9	0
WAKEFIELD (Lt.-Col. E. Russell) S. Darling	9	0
WILDE ONE (Capt. E. Tanner) ..... Lines	9	0
LORD BUNNY (Mr. J. Wadia) Nightingall	9	0
CHERUBIM (His Majesty) ..... R. Marsh	8	11
FRAGONNY (Sir A. Bailey) ..... R. Day	8	11
STAR NOTE (Sir A. Bailey) ..... R. Day	8	11
PENROSE (Mr. A. Basset) ..... Perse	8	11
SEA ONYX (Col. C. Birkin) ..... J. Dawson	8	11
ROYAL FANCY (Mr. T. Blane) ..... Renwick	8	11
CONTEMPT F., by Birlingham (Mr. Blane)	8	11
BLACK FOLLY (Mr. F. Curzon) ..... Hobbs	8	11
GRAPE SHOOT G., by Marcus (Mr. R. Day) ..... R. Day	8	11
VAVA (Mr. R. Farquharson) ..Farquharson	8	11
OISEAU DE FRU F., by Cicero (Lt. Howard de Walden) ..... Waugh	8	11
SWEET ONES F., by Lonz Tom (Mr. A. Howcoop) ..... Nightingall	8	11
QUICK THOUGHT (Mr. J. Hall) C. J. Childs	8	11
MAZE (Sir E. Hulton) ..... Wootton	8	11
BLUE GIRDLE (Brig.-Gen. C. Lambton) ..... Hobbs	8	11
WAVE SWEPT (Mr. W. Savill) ..Pickering	8	11
RAIL COLUMBIA (Mr. C. Wadia) ..Morris	8	11
RED DAISY (Mr. R. Watson) J. Nightingall	8	11

2.50—MELTON HANDICAP, £400. 5 f.

	Age	st. lb.
TINGLE (Mr. F. Benson) ..... Barling	4	7 13
ZEA (Mr. J. Blundell) ..... Lund	4	7 13

(Above have arrived.)

JAMESON (Mr. T. Edge) ..... Poole	a	9 0
ALDERTON (Mr. E. Moore) ..... R. Day	4	8 13
LORD ARCHER (7lb. ex.) (Sir R. Jardine) ..... T. Waugh	6	8 13
FUSSY (Mr. R. Thorburn) ..... Gwilt	4	8 5
DAMAGED GOODS (Mr. W. Wren) ..... W. Jarvis, jun.	4	8 4
PHROSIE (Col. C. Prior) ..... Private	5	8 0
SPECIAL (Mr. P. Higgins) ..... Private	6	7 13
PROLIFIC (Mr. E. Shorv) ..... Pope	4	7 8
BEDARBLE (Mr. E. Harris) ..... Godfrey	4	7 7
SPIDER LEGS (Mr. A. Calvert) C. Waugh	5	7 7
GLENHATTIE (Lord Glanely) ..... Barling	3	7 5
SWEET BEE (Mr. C. Wadia) ..... Morris	3	7 3
SUIE (Mr. W. Dixon) ..... Lines	3	7 0

3.20—DURHAM PLATE, £300. 1m.

	st.	lb.
BURRAGH BRIDGE (Mr. F. Powell) A. Day	9	0
LYCOPODIUM (Ld. de Walden) ..... Waugh	9	0
THOUGHTLESS (Sir G. Beaumont) O. Bell	8	11
CLEAVES (Mr. F. Cundell) ..... Cundell	8	11
OCEAN LIGHT (Mr. C. Gordon) F. Darling	8	11

(The above have arrived.)

DUFFY (Mr. J. Horning) ..... B. Jarvis	9	0
TREDENNORD (Mr. A. Ieanson) ..... Weston	9	0
LORD QUEX (Sir R. Jardine) ... T. Waugh	9	0
COLD STEEL (Sir R. Jardine) ... T. Waugh	9	0
NAPOLI (Mr. Sol Joel) ..... Loates	9	0
SNOWHILL (Mr. W. Lang) ..... Farquharson	9	0
STEADY MARCH (Capt. Montagu) Blackwell	9	0
NATUMINOR (Mr. J. Rowson) ..... Lines	9	0
SVENGALI (Capt. C. Loder) ..... Gibbin	9	0
SAFFRON (Sir A. Bailey) ..... R. Day	8	11
ROSELET (Sir E. Hulton) ..... F. Hartigan	8	11
KINGWING (Sir R. Hulton) ..... F. Hartigan	8	11
WOMEN AND WINE (Mr. Marsh) ..Godfrey	8	11
DAVID WARD (Mr. P. Noble) ..... D. Meyrick	8	11
LOMELIE (Mr. W. Ranhael) ..... Linton	8	11
BRACKET (Mrs. G. Robinson) ..... R. Day	8	11
CASTLEREAGH (Mr. A. de Rothschild) ..Walsh	8	11
KILLINEY (Mrs. E. Scott) W. Jarvis, jun.	8	11
LAVENDER (Mr. E. Watson) ..... Private	8	11
NECTARINE (Mrs S. Whitbern) ..... Penna	8	11

3.50—Y.O. HANDICAP, £200. 7 f.

	st.	lb.
PARISIAN DIAMOND (Mr. W. Williams) ..... Cundell	8	4
INLET (Mr. B. Kidsten) ..... Leach	7	9

(The above have arrived.)

SORGHUM (7lb. ex.) (Mr. Ainsworth) Griggs	9	2
SOUVIENS-TOI (Baron Saeyen) ..... Ireland	9	0
DONATZINE (Capt. G. Nevill) ..... Jones	8	13
BURRERRY (Lord Westbury) ..Farquharson	8	13
STATUARY (Mr. J. Arkwright) ..... R. Day	8	12
CHEVASSE (Lord Derby) ..... Lambton	8	12
AEROLITE (Lt.-Col. Johnson) ..... C. Leader	8	7
DANIELLA (Mrs. J. James) ..... Lambton	8	7
BID MAGIC (Mr. D. Fraser) ..... R. Day	8	4
ARLINGTON (Mr. W. Baker) ..... Baker	8	4
THE FIFE ROYALS (Mr. W. Dixon) ..... Lines	8	4
BLACKWATER (Mr. Farquharson) ..... Owner	8	3
PAGAN SACRIFICE (Lady Wilton) ..Leader	8	2
PERSIANA (Lord Derby) ..... Lambton	8	1
BE SURE (Mr. T. Richards) ..... Faulkner	8	1
COMPLIMENT (Mrs. Brownlee) ..... Sirvier	8	1
BOWDINE (Mr. F. Curzon) ..... Hobbs	8	1
TREASURY (Mr. F. Curzon) ..... Hobbs	7	13
KILLRAY (Sir A. Horne) ..... Morris	7	13
UPERIOR (Mr. T. Beswick) ..... Braime	7	13
MANCHINEEL (Mrs. W. Capell) ..... Capell	7	11
EIDERDOWN (Mr. W. Selby) ..... Griggs	7	11
EX-X ..... (Mr. Hall) ..... Leader	7	10
GRAVE MAC (Mr. J. Morrison) ..... Nugent	7	10
REINE DE NEIGE (Mr. S. Beer) ..... Leach	7	10
CUTTY SARK (Lord Glanely) ..... Darling	7	10
PALESTINE (Mr. P. Benson) ..... Hyams	7	8
PASTA G., by Junior (Mr. W. Higgins)	7	7
HOT (Major Tawell) ..... Wootton	7	7
YUTOI (Mrs R. Burnley) ..... Hyams	7	7
UNG JE SERVIRAY (Sir H. Fitzherbert) ..... Pope	7	6
FLOTTA (Mr. W. Savill) ..... Pickering	7	5
PRINCESS STEPHANIE (Mr. Curzon) Hobbs	7	4
BRILLANT (Mr. Vernon) ..... Weston	7	4
LADY CHARITY (Mrs. W. Capell) ..Capell	7	4
AFONSO (Mr. F. Luscombe) ..... C. Waugh	7	3
EPSOM BOY (Mr. G. Marsh) ..... Godfrey	7	3
SNOWHILL (Mr. W. Lang) ..... Farquharson	7	2
SUNDANE (Mr. W. Broomfield) ..... A. Day	7	2
BELLATANA (Mr. B. Yarnold) ..... Private	7	2
COURTFIELD (Mr. W. Dixon) ..... Lines	7	2
FRINNY MAC (Capt. Bewicke) ..Bewicke	7	0
RED CROSS BOY (Mr. H. Webb) ..Harrison	7	0
GAUNT BOY (Capt. C. Leake) ..... Private	7	0

4.15—BOTTESFORD HANDICAP, £200. 1¼ m.

	Age	st. lb.
BLUEGROUND (Mr. W. Williams) Cundell	a	8 10
GREEN FLY (Mr. J. Potter) ..... Wootton	4	7 8
LADY MALICIA (Mr. F. Bode) ..... Randell	5	7 13
QUICK THRUST (Mr. M. Bode) ..... Randell	6	7 6
BAY THREE (Mr. E. Watson) Nightingall	4	7 4

(The above have arrived.)

FINCHALE (Mr. J. Bayliss) ..... Beatty	4	8 8
GRIPPAST (Lord Durham) ..... Peck	4	8 5
GRANCHESTER (Mr. T. Nolan) ..... Colling	5	8 1
LADY AVARICE (Mr. T. Hogrine) ..... Lund	a	8 0
CATTEGAT (Mr. A. de Rothschild) ..... Watson	5	7 12
PRINCESS MORISKTA (Mrs. H. Cayzer) ..... Gooch	4	7 12
ROWLAND (Lord Wolverton) ..Lambton	4	7 11
NINE MADCAP (Mr. W. Dixon) ..... Lines	4	7 10
GIRVAN (Mr. J. Greenwood) ..... Godfrey	4	7 9
DETERMINATION (Mr. J. Hillman) ..... R. Roberts	5	7 8
CORSO (Mr. J. McLean) ..... McGuigan	5	7 7
SIR ASHBY (Mr. W. Griggs) ..... Griggs	4	7 6
MEMIN (Mr. T. Richards) ..... Private	5	7 6
SAINTLY MAUDE (Mr. C. Dennis) ..... C. Young	6	7 5
SNTG (Mr. D. Scott) ..... Private	4	7 5
NORAH ELSIE (Mr. Oakshott) ..... Sadler	4	7 5
CHERVINGTON (Mr. F. Straker) Bewicke	4	7 3
FLAVIA (Mr. W. Hosshall) ..... Dodd	5	7 0
SUNDOWNER (Mrs. A. Smith) Bullock	5	7 0
PALATINE LASS (Mr. H. Clark) Westlake	3	7 0

ARRIVALS.—Green Fly, Auckland, Tingle, Quick Thrust, Lady Alicia, Bay Three, Red Daisy, Blue Ground, Parisian Diamond, Helen Cross, Inlet, Toppers Folly, Thoughtless, The Wish, Lomond's Pride, Lycopodium, Esplandian, Sea, Tidy, White filly, Little Derrik, Sublime Puritan, Lady Picton, Orsetus Rex filly, Carragh Bridge, Blackwater, Snowbill, Brenina, Grand Prix, Ocean Light, Black Domino, Fair Rona, Loovlers.

THE ORMOND & KING'S CO. POINT-TO-POINT RACES

Will be held at
ARRAGHBEG, CARRIG BIM,
APRIL 8th, 9.30 New Time.

12st. RACE—Open to Ormond and King's Co., East Galway, County Galway, Queen's Co., Limerick, and Tipperary Co.

14st. RACE—Open to Ormonde and King's Co., East Galway, County Galway, Queen's Co., Limerick and Tipperary Co.

LADIES' RACE (12st.)—Open to Ormond and King's Co. and East Galway.

FARMERS' RACE—Open to farmers whose land the Ormond and King's Co. Hounds hunt over.

Entries Close April 3 to Maxwell Angus, Lissen Hall, Nenagh. (Advt.)

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ATHLETICS AND CYCLING.

CROSS-COUNTRY RUNNING.

DONORE HARRIERS.—On Saturday, in ideal weather, the combined six miles club championship and Strahan Cup (sealed handicap) was run off at Ormonde. The course was in splendid condition, and P. Byrne retained his title of club champion. He also won the Strahan Cup. Details:—1st, P. Byrne (4 min. 16 secs), handicap time 57 mins. 58 secs. actual time 56 mins. 20 secs.; 2nd, J. J. Cronin (50 secs.), handicap time 57 mins. 45 secs. actual time 57 mins. 15 secs.; 3rd S. Pearson (1 min.), handicap time 58 mins. 30 secs., actual time 57 mins. 30 secs.; 4th J. Lynch (4 mins.), handicap time 43 mins. 40 secs., actual time 57 mins. 40 secs.; 5th, F. Macnamara (4 mins. 30 secs.) handicap time, 43 mins. 58 secs., actual time 58 mins. 6 secs.; 6th, P. Tuckeberry (5 mins.), handicap time 44 mins. 17 secs., actual time 58 mins. 17 secs.; 7th, D. Murphy (5 mins. 30 secs.), handicap time 43 secs. 37 mins., actual time 40 mins. 7 secs.; 8th, T. Bolton (5 mins.), handicap time 48 mins. 53 secs., actual time 40 mins. 53 secs. Also ran:—W. Cooke (1 min. 45 secs.), C. Orr (2 mins. 15 secs.), T. Reid (5 mins. 30 secs.), J. Thackaberry won the novice medal. Mr. V. F. MacDonagh acted as judge and timekeeper.

THE A.A.A. CHAMPIONSHIP.

The entries for the A.A.A. long distance championship, to be decided at Stamford Bridge on April 10th, were officially announced yesterday. They total 155 for the 10 miles running championship and 45 for the seven miles walking championship, held respectively by C. C. Blewitt (Birchfield Harriers) and W. Hehir (Surrey A.C.). Both champions are defending their titles.

CHANTICLEER'S NOTES.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM.)
LEICESTER, TUESDAY NIGHT.

Excellent entries have been secured for the Leicester Meeting, which follows in the wake of the Nottingham Spring fixture, and the success of the latter is pretty sure to be followed up at Oadby. The prize money amounts to the substantial sum of 3,000 sove, £1,560 being allotted to the first day's events, which includes a selling race over the sprint distance for £400, and a mile maiden race of £500 value.

My selections for to-morrow are:—
Gopsall Plate—Allensmore.
Oadby Plate—White Fang.
Melton Handicap—Lord Archer.
Durham Plate—Lycopodium.
Three-Year-Old Handicap—Elderdown.
Bottesford Welter—Rowland or Quick Thrust.

KILDARE HUNT SPORTSMAN'S RACES—YESTERDAY.

A light haze hung over the district at Windgates yesterday, but otherwise it was an ideal afternoon, and the splendid sport provided by the Kildare Hunt was thoroughly enjoyed by the vast crowd which assembled on the hill alongside the road, a vantage point which afforded an excellent view of the greater part of each of the half-dozen races which made up the card. The course comprised some four miles of typical Kildare hunting country, and grief was plentiful, but in only one instance was there a really bad spill. It was at first thought that Mr. W. J. Parkinson had sustained a broken collar bone when Flying Laddie came down at the third fence in the race for the Barton Cup, but, happily, he escaped with nothing worse than a severe shaking and a bad bruising. His mount was greatly fancied to win, and thus credit Mr. E. Brophy with his third success in the race, and incidentally enable that sportsman to win the cup outright, but when Flying Laddie and The Lodge fell, the favourite seemed done with. Mr. Parkinson, however, re-mounted, and going on in pursuit, he took the lead between the last two fences, and it was in a canter that his mount ultimately gained the flat from Lady Milton. The latter also fell in the race; indeed, all except If You're Irish came down at one point or another. In the Red Coat Light-weight Race Mr. H. B. Alexander was again seen to fine advantage on Kilbrien, who, served by superior horsemanship, got the better of an exciting set-to with Palm Ring from the last but last obstacle to supplement his success of a few weeks ago at the Fingall Harriers' meeting. About a mile from home, the trooper, Great Surprise, who is a capital fencer, had the 12th Lancers' Subalterns' Cup well in hand, and Mr. R. Straker's mount never afterwards being headed, he scored very easily from Wild Earl. Kerewski won the Red Coat Welter comfortably from his two opponents; and fencing beautifully in the race for the Lancers' Regimental Cup, Lieut.-Col. Fane's Rolleston finished alone, the others falling or refusing. The Roper Challenge Cup was won by The Old Firm, who had the verdict in safe keeping a long way from home. Details:—

RED COAT LIGHT-WEIGHT RACE. Weights—12st. 7lb. 4 m.

Mr. H. B. Alexander's b. g. KILLBRIEN, by Killyleagh—Miss Gatien, aged ..... Owner 1
Mrs. Royston-Pigott's PALM RING, aged ..... Mr. E. Green 2
Mr. B. H. M. Reeves' TOMMY, 6 yrs. ..... Capt. F. Spicer 3

Also ran:—Capt. H. Dixon's Lord Charles, aged (Capt. the Hon. H. Bingham); Mr. B. J. O'Kelly's Armistice, 6 yrs. (Mr. E. S. O'Kelly).

Won by two lengths; fifty lengths.

12th ROYAL LANCERS' SUBALTERNS' CUP. 5 m.

Mr. R. Straker's b. g. GREAT SURPRISE, aged ..... Owner 1
Mr. R. Rawnsley's WILD EARL, aged ..... Owner 2
Mr. C. A. Morris's SHUNAMITE, 5 yrs. ..Owner 3

Also ran:—Mr. F. F. Spicer's Nabotis, aged (Owner); Hon. Bruce Ogilvy's Full Moon, aged (Owner); Mr. W. S. McCreery's Kilmartin, 6 yrs. (Owner); Mr. W. S. McCreery's Murengo, 6 yrs. (Mr. B. J. Rillebock); Mr. R. S. Moore's Dermot, aged (Owner).

Won in a canter by fifteen lengths; twenty lengths. Only the placed horses finished.

THE "BARTON" CHALLENGE CUP, presented by Mr. Bertram H. Barton, Straffan House, to which is added by the Hunt £20 to the winner. Weights—11st. 5 m.

Mr. B. Brophy's ch. g. FLYING LADDIE, by Galloping Simon—Iceglass, aged ..... Mr. W. J. Parkinson 1
Mr. H. D. Boothman's LADY MELTON, 4 yrs. ..... Mr. C. Mahon 2
Mr. Jas. Fitzsimon's CARBURY BELLE, 6 yrs. ..... Mr. F. Meek 3

Also ran:—Mr. Jas. O'Neill's Twilight, 6 yrs. (Master Montefiore); Dr. J. A. Osborne's The Lodge, 5 yrs. (Dr. F. J. Osborne); Mr. Jos. Hanlon's Kate Toes, aged (Mr. R. Mooney); Mr. P. McDermott's Finola, 5 yrs. (Owner); Mrs. Masterson's If You're Irish, 6 yrs. (M

FINANCIAL NEWS

DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE.

FUNDS, NATIONAL BANKS, MARCONIS, AND SPINNERS HIGHER, BUT THREAD SHARES WERE DULL. DUNLOPS STRONG AFTER HOURS. OILS STRONG.

The coming Easter holiday influence operated against business in some degree yesterday, but while some securities fell further other markets had a rallying tendency under more or less brisk support. A satisfactory recovery was quoted among Government Funds. Banks were irregular. Bank Stocks and Royals were pressed for sale, but Nationals advanced sharply. There was a dull market for Breweries and Distilleries quoted, no business could only be effected at a slight set-back in value. Clay Steam Stock attracted attention by falling a further 5 points. Dundrum opened lower, but more than recovered. Marconi shares established a sensible advance, with new in particularly strong request. Rails were unchanged in a quietly dull market. Dublin Trams were bid for, but Parent Tyre Def. Alliance Gas, and Goulding shares were a shade easier. Textiles varied a little, with Spinners firmer, and Bleachers and Calicos firm spots. Coats and Cottons were less firm. Burke Ord. slipped to 60s., and Dublin Artisans' Dwellings were still weaker at 7½. Imperial Tobacco firmer, smartly, and are now quoted ex "Letters." Oil shares were in demand.

There was a general rally in Government Funds. War Loan 4½ p.c. rose ¼ to 80, do. 5 p.c. ⅞ to 88½, do. 4 p.c. ¼ to 93, Funding Loan ¼ to 68, Irish Land 2½ p.c. ¼ to 48, and India 5½ p.c. ¼ to 55½.

Banks were irregularly disposed. Nationals rose ¼ to 18½, and Provincials ⅛ to 34½, while Bank Stock fell 1 to 196½, and Royals were offered down to 101, but no support appeared.

In Breweries and Distilleries, Davilles fell ¼ to 15, and Guinness Ord. ¼ to 34½, after earlier dealing at 35.

Steam Stocks met with attention. City of Dublin fell 5 more to 230. Dunsks opened ⅛ lower at 24½, but later were bid up to 24½, Marconi Shares were again well supported from the London market. The Ords. rose 5s. to 75s., and the New Ord. 15s. paid 2s. 9d., 22s. 6d.

There was no change in prices of the few Home Railway Stocks quoted; while in Tramways, Dublin United Ord. rose ¼ to 73.

As regards Dunlop issues, Parent Tyre Def. fell 1s. 6d. to 62s. 6d., and the Pref. remain at 14s. 1½d. Dunlop Rubber Ord. show no change at 10, but the New Ord. ¼ more to 5½, and the 6½ p.c. "B" Pref. are sold at 18s. 3d.

In Gas, Alliance and Dublin Consumers eased 6d. more to 72s 6d. The 4 p.c. debs. closed sellers at 55.

Bakery and Drapery were featureless or neglected.

Among Manufacturing shares, Titles varied but little. Bleachers were up at 54s., Spinners rose ½ to 5½ buyers, and Coats new "B" Pref. 19½ to 20s. 3d., but Coats Ord. fell 3d. to 64s. 9d., and Cottons 1s. to 53s. Goulding shares fell ¼ to 74. Kay and Peterson and Millar and Beatty Pre were both on offer at lower rates.

In Trading, etc., E. and J. Burke Ord. relapsed 1s. 3d. to 80s., and Dublin Artisans' Dwellings ¼ to 7½. *Irish Times* Pref. were steady.

Among other business done, Jurmah Oils realised 17½, and Shells 10½, theatter a rise of ½. Imperial Tobacco shares were quoted 53s. ex rights, and the "letters" stepped 12s., 11s. 9d. Liverpool Corporation p.c. Stock realised 98½.

There was a very sudden burst of activity and strength on Change after the close, and the markets closed at best. Dunlops shot up ¼ to 10¾ bid, Spinners ¼ to 52, Shells ⅛ to 10½, Mexican Eagles ¼ to 10½, Burmah Oil ¼ to 18, and Coats 6d. to 65s.

IRISH BANKS RATES.

Discount ..... 6½ per cent., 18th March, 1920.
Deposit ..... 3 per cent., 6th November, 1919.

BUSINESS DONE.

Consols .....(79¾) 80
5% War Ln.....(97½) 98½
4% War Ln.....(93½) 93
Funding Ln. (Dec) .....(67½) 68
Exch. Bonds 5½ 99-4
War Bonds (1923) 99-4
do. (1928) 95½
5½ Land Act.(46½) 46½
Bank of Ireland .....(196) 196½
National .....(18) 18½
Provincial .....(33½) 33½
Dunville .....(15½) 15½
Guinness .....(35) 35-34
City Steam.....(235) 230
Dundalk Steam .....(24½) 24½
Marconi .....(74) 75
Do. New.....(19/9) 22/6
M.G.W. Rail.....(28) 28
G.S.W. Ord.....(64) 64
Do. Deb.....(66½) 66½
G.N. Deb.....(67) 67
Dublin Trams.....(74) 74
*Odd lot.

(Last business done given in penultimate.)

STOCKS STILL CONFIDENT.

ARGENTINE RAILS FIRM IND WAR STOCKS FURTHER ADV'D.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

Stock markets yesterday showed further signs of returning confidence, and business was rather more active. While the most tenable cause of the better tone is the cessation of heavy liquidation, it has been supported to some extent by what looks like the practical abandonment of the war wealth taxation proposal. As the deliberations on this subject have admittedly been responsible for a great deal of the recent nervousness displayed by the Stock markets, it may be inferred that the deadlock now reported in the Committee's proceedings would have proved a powerful market stimulus, had it not come on the eve of the Easter holidays. The Funds showed a further improvement. Very little interest was taken in Home Railway Stocks, and in the representative list of Ord. and Def. Stocks scarcely a movement was recorded. The American exchange fluctuated a good deal during the day, closing slightly adverse to this country; but, in spite of this, American dollar securities were generally lower. A fair amount of investment buying was reported in the market for Argentine Rails, the leading issues showing quite a decided recovery from the previous level. Brazilians also showed some improvement, San Paulo being a good feature. Mexican issues also maintained Monday's rally. In the Foreign bond market attempts at selling on behalf of the Continent still depressed quotations. In our directions, Insurance Shares participated in the recovery, but business in the Industrial department was small. Dunlops were a good spec, and Textiles were inclined to harden under the lead of Fine Cotton Spinners. The leading 6 Shares received a fair amount of attention.

LONDON STOCKS BETTER.

TAXATION OF WAR WEALTH COLLAPSE.

The Stock Exchange remained a good fetile during yesterday's session. Holiday influences continue to hold business in check, but quotations tended forward in many sections, and specialities were sometimes strong. The general undertone was stimulated by the announcement that the inquiry into the advisability of a tax tion of war wealth had collapsed owing to the fact that a majority of the members of the Government Commission had arrived at the conclusion that the proposal was impracticable. This development engendered a more hopeful feeling with regard to the forthcoming Budget. Gilt-edged issues responded immediately to these considerations, and were additionally assisted by window-dressing operations incidental to the end of the month and the fiscal year. Among gilt-edged descriptions, War Fives, which are now under the best, were ⅛ higher on balance at 88⅜. Among Colonial Loans there were a few fractional advances. Bank of Brand Stock was without further change.

FOREIGN BONDS BETTER.—The market was lacking in animation, but it showed a better general tone. French Fives held their, though the Paris exchange, after some improvement, finished unsteadily. Greek Bonds closed quietly to advantage in view of the satisfactory position of the country's finances. There was no material change in Japanese Bonds. Mexican Loans were hardly so good, and the Sixes fell back to 67¼. Uruguay 5½ p.c. receded ½ to 98.

HOME RAILS UNCERTAIN.—The Home Railway market maintained a waiting attitude, but dealers put forward quotations tentatively here and there to a trifling extent. The slight advances, however, were not as a rule maintained to the finish, and on balance the Stocks showed very little variation.

Changes:—Rises—Great Eastern, ¼ to 32½; London and South-Western, ¼ to 76; North Eastern Consol., ¼ to 90. Falls—Great Central Def., ¼ to 74.

CANADIANS QUIET AND MEXICANS FIRM.—Canadian Pacific held Stocks, and the Guaranteed Fours ¼ down. Mexican Rails were on the whole firm side in front of the day, but finished without change. There was moderate support to the Oil Rails, which registered several points. Brazilian Rails, as a rule, showed little change, but Leopoldinas rallied to 25½.

Changes.—Rises—B. A. Central Argentine, ¼ to 71½. Falls—Grand Trunk Pref., ¼ to 49; do Second Pref., ¼ to 34½; Brazil Common, ¼ to 4¾.

INDUSTRIALS QUIET, BUT MODERATELY CHEERFUL.

TEXTILES AGAIN IN FAVOR.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

Signs of returning confidence were noticeable in the Miscellaneous and Industrial market yesterday. The better support which is becoming since the beginning of the week was slightly accentuated, and a small sprinkling of public orders gave a little extra help to the professionals. It has been realised during the last two days that much of the forced liquidation has exhausted itself. A few special instances yesterday gave evidence of subdued liveliness in the market. If the public come in, there appears to be good scope for activity in several sections, but movements so far must be largely attributed to professional interests. Textiles were well to the fore under a buoyant lead from Spinners. The shares suddenly regained some of their waning popularity, and kept well ahead on spirited bidding. Courtaulds were dullish, but Cottons, Calicos, and Bleachers were in strong demand. A sharp rise in Dunlops attracted unusual interest after the protracted period of dulness just lately. The shares made substantial headway, and are now the clear £1 up since Friday last. Among new issues, Cook, Son and Co. were slightly easier. Stewarts and Lloyds "Letters" were steady about the previous day's closing price. Crosse and Blackwell's worth's Ord. were not good, though the Pref. were better. Iron and Steels showed up indifferently, though the section was not without its firm features. Hadfields improved on the meeting. Dorman Long were still in request. Vickers were easier, and Swan Hunters steady. The question of lower freights still clouds the horizon in the Shipping section, where movements were sluggish yesterday. Royal Mails lost ground, but other changes were unimportant. Nitrates exhibited renewed buoyancy several substantial rises being recorded, and the whole group inclining towards enhanced values. The offer to purchase 4,000,000 tons of nitrate had a beneficial effect. Humbers were good among Motors. Imperial Tobaccos were marked down after heavy dealings. A big business was done in Oil Cakes, which appreciated further, though closing well below best.

Stimulated by renewed professional dealings and a small amount of public support, Textiles experienced a better day yesterday. A good lead from Spinners, prices were marked up fairly generally throughout the section. Spinners enjoyed a return to popularity, changing hands frequently and spurting to 5½ bid. The net gain on the day was ⅞. Amalgamated Cottons benefited by the additional attention to the extent of ⅛, closing at ⅞ ex div. Calicos were buoyant, and in strong request up to 43s., or 1s. 6d. higher. Bleachers were firm at 53s. 6d., and Dyers improved ⅛ to 2½. John Wood were a good market at 27s., or 6d. up on balance. Cottons kept steady at 2½. Coats came in for some steady bidding, improving to 3½ or ⅛ higher, and Joshua Hoyle kept the price at 4½.

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MINES REMAIN QUIET.

APART FROM SPECIALITIES, MOVEMENTS ON BALANCE ARE UNIMPORTANT.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

Of the speculative markets, Mines yesterday were conspicuous by their continued apathy. Business remained at an extremely low ebb, and a partial explanation of the flagging interest is to be found in the departure already for the holidays of many members. Except for a few specialities, movements on the day were of little consequence. A rise in the price of gold to £5 6s. 7d. per oz. failed to stimulate activity in Kaffirs, which were still under the influence of moderate French sales of international counters owing to the further rise in the Paris exchange to about 57 francs, a figure which is regarded in well-informed quarters as almost absurd. This department was very idle all day, but at the close of "bear interests" were said to be quietly picking up the really cheap shares. Such demand was hardly reflected in quotations, for only about half-a-dozen movements on balance were in favour of holders.

There was a little more activity in the Rhodesian section, where it was rumoured that the strike on the Rhodesian railways had been settled. No official news came to hand during the business hours, and Chartered still set a poor business to the other shares in this department, example to the other changes were irregular, so that on balance changes were inconsiderable. Diamonds were unable to assert themselves free from Paris influences, and the leaders were all from Paris influences, and the leaders were all lower. Another big jump of £13 17s. 6d. took the price of tin to £262 2s. 6d. per ton, and although business in the share market failed to expand to any material extent, the tone was decidedly harder. East Pool and some others were strong in the Cornish list, and it was rumoured that a way out of the labour difficulties will be found. Nigerian and Eastern descriptions were firm, but West African Gold Shares were distinctly dull, apart from Gold Coasts. Investment improved 6d. to 45s. 3d., while Bajoe Kidsel and Central Sumatra were each ⅛ lower at 3½ and 18s. 6d. respectively. Bukit Rajah were lower at 4s., showing a fall of 9d. Nitrates exhibited renewed buoyancy several substantial rises being recorded, and the whole group inclining towards enhanced values. The offer to purchase 4,000,000 tons of nitrate had a beneficial effect. Humbers were good among Motors. Imperial Tobaccos were marked down after heavy dealings. A big business was done in Oil Cakes, which appreciated further, though closing well below best.

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TELEGRAPHS.

A.-Amer.D..	18½-19½	Marconi Con.	11/3-12/3
Marconi Ord..	3½-¼ + ⅛	do. Amer.	30/6-31/6
do. Pref.....	3½-¼	do. Spanish.	10/6-11/6
do. Marine...	2¼-½		

MISCELLANEOUS.

Aerated Bread..	4/6-½ + ½	Imp.Tobac.Or..	51/6-52½	—2/6
Armstrong.....	22/6-0/0 — 0/9	J. Brown.....	29/6-30/0	
A.F.Consols....	39/0-31/0	do. (15/pd)....	11/-0	
do. Pref....	14/6-15/0	Lipton	22/6-23/0	
do. Def....	14/6-15/0	do. Pref....	14/6-15/0	
Arg'nt.R'w.Ld..	2½-¾	Lyons.....	8/6-¾	
Arg'nt.R'w.Ld..	2½-¾	Lister & Co.....	8/-½	— ½
do.South. Ld..	1½-⅝ — ⅛	Lowe&Co.mas..	6½-¾	
Anglo-Arg.Ind.Pf.	2½-4	Lagunas.....	1½-⅝	
Allenby Ord....	91-3	do. Syndicate..	1½-⅝	
do. 6% Pref....	72-4	Lautaro Nit....| 14½-15½	
Allg'n'ts Ld..	11/8-12/9 + 4/6	Liverpool Nit....	4½-3+ ½	
Aguas Blancas..	1½-2	London Nit.....	2½-2+ ½	
Allanas.....	22-2+ ½	Maple.....	2½-2	
Anglo-Chili s..	15-16	Magadi Soda..	17/6-18/9	
do. Pref....	15-16	Marpolo Def....	3½-4	
Angelo....	39/6-40/0 + 1/0	Mond Nickel..	37/-0	
Anal. Cotton..	5½-⅝ + ⅛	Monte'al Bl. Db...	91-3	
Borax Con.D ..	11/-0	Monterey Dr....	2½-33	
Bri.P'r'd.Cmt..	32/6-0	Mex. Trams	13-22	
B.S.A.....	27/6-0/0	do. Bonds.....	23-2—3	
Bk.Mot.Yr'd's	17/6-19/0 — 1/3	do. L.&P. Bs....	44-3—1	
B.A.A.Mex....	25/6-0/0	Nigers.....	4½-5	
Base, Bat. Pf..	67-71	N'W'Thar'gal..	1½-⅝ + ⅛	
Brit. Oil & Ck..	2½-2+ + ⅛	Pahang (5s)....	4-5	
Brunner Mond..	31/-0	Parent TyreDf..	3½-4	
B'hokmay Pf..	3½-4½	Pan Am. Petrol..	4½-5	
B.N.R. Loans..	3½-4	T. & O. Ind....	94-5½	
Brazil'n Trac..	49-50 — ½	Proteriles(1/)..	1½-⅝	
Brit.Col-Elec. Pf.	58-61	Perlins.....	2½-3	
do.4½% Deb....	85-7	Pekin Syn.....	30-4 + ⅛	
Bryant & May..	34/3-5/3 — 0/3	Pettora(S.D.)....	1½-⅝	
Bisschers.....	21-3	Petters(A.D.)....	4½-5	
Bradford Dyers	27-8	Pan de Azucar..	2½-1+ ⅛	
Brit. Cottons..	11/4-12	Pan Am. Petrol..	4½-5	
Calico Printers	45/9-3+2/3	Royal Mail Or..	18½-19	
Cammell L'd Ord	5½-6	Rio Land.....	2½-⅝ + 0/3	
Cargo Fleet....	15-½	Rosso.....	2½-3	
Cook.....	2½-3 + ⅛	Russian Bds....	8½-10½ + ⅛	
Courtaulds....	8½-⅞ — ⅛	Sew. Cotton....	2½-3	
Court Line.....	2-3	Siemens.....	27/6-0/0 — 1/0	
Canard Ord.....	2-3	Sali Dubon....	1½-⅝ — ⅛	
Cartagena Wat..	1½-⅝	Sao Paulo Def..	56-8	
Criterion.....	23/6-4/0 — 0/6	Sth.Af.Rwy....	19½-20	
Chartered Pf....	18-2 1/7-8	Shaw'lerlO....	4½-5	
Duff Dev.....	16/6-17/6 + 0/3	Sun Fuel.....	25/3-6+ 0/3	
Dunlop Rub....	10½-11+ ½	Sair. del'C mas..	2½-3½ + ¼	
Dalgety Ord....	14/3-17/3 — 0/3	Santa Catalina..	4½-5	
Dorman Long....	5½-6	San Sebastian	15/3-17/6 + 1/0	
Dublin Trams....	74-4	Tarapaca Nit.	29/3-0/6 + 2/6	
Dunlop Rubber..	10½-11	Tim. Fireproof....	7-8	
Dunlop Rubber..	10½-11	Un.Sim.N.Z.	16/6-20/6	
Dunlop Rubber..	10½-11	Vickers.....	52-3 — 1/0	
Dunlop Rubber..	10½-11	VanLeerBerghs	2½-3	
Dunlop Rubber..	10½-11	Wagon'ts c.p.o.	22/6-0/0	
Dunlop Rubber..	10½-11	Wallpaper.....	2½-3 — ⅛	
Dunlop Rubber..	10½-11	Do. Def.....	29/9-21/0 + 10/6	
Dunlop Rubber..	10½-11	Whiteley.....	33/6-0/0	
Dunlop Rubber..	10½-11	Wolsbach.....	2½-3	

MINING SHARES.

Aboso.....	14/-6d	Hampden Cloncurry	15/6-1/-
A.-Continental ..	26/-6d	Jos Tin	5/6+3d
Antaeli. G.F. ..	20/-6d	Johannesburg Con. Inv.	4/-3d
Anglo-French Explor.	2½-⅝	Knights Deep...10/- x.d.	
Rantjes Consd..	3/-6d	London & Rhod. Min.	2½-⅝
Rand Mines	3½-¼	Lulpaards Vlei...	6/-6d
Bwana M'Kubwa.	6/9+3d	Mozambique	16/-+6d
Brisels Tin	5/6-3d	Modder Deep....	3½-¼
Bk. H. Prop....	56/6-6d	Malaya Tin.....	4½-⅝
Bk. H. Blk. 10..	26/3 x.d	Mu of Canada..	11/-6d
Burma Corp.....	11½+½	Nundydroog	15/- x.d.
Colombian Min.	16/6-0/0d	Nigel	1½-⅝
Charlered	17/7½-¼d	Rhod. Bk. Hill.	14/3+3d
Central Minitor..	9½-¾	Rand Selection....	4½-⅝
Con. G.F. of S.A.	1½-⅝	Randfontein Estates	23/6-6d
City & Sub.....	6/6-6d	Rio Tinto	39-½
Crown Mines....	5/3-0/0	Rezong Tin	4½-⅝
Do Beers Def....	26-½	Siamese Tin	4½-⅝
Dolcoath	7/6+3d	Santa Gertrudis	35/6+6d
East Pool & Agw.	15/6+1/-	South Bantjes....	2½-⅝
E. Rand Prop.	31/6-⅜	South Crofty ..	15/6+3d
Falcon	13/-⅜	Sons of Gwalia..	7/3+3d
Golden Horseshoe Estate	1½-⅝	Simmer & Jack	5/3 x.d. -3d
Great Boulder	5½-¼	Tanjuah Mining	17/6-6d
Geduld	2½-¼	Wahiner Gold..	4/6-6d
Glynns Lydenburg	1½ x.d.	Vereeniging Est.	24/6 x.d.

RUBBER SHARES.

Angle-Ceylon ..	60/6+6d	Lumut	61/3+7½d
Anglo-Dutch ..	3/6-⅜	Malacca	5½
Anglo-Java	6/6-1½	Do. Pref.	97½
Ratang Malaka	5/6-⅜	Do. Deb.	96½-¾
Bencoki	41/3-1/-	Mergui	5/- c.d.
Bukit Kebon ..	5/- c.d.	Merliman	3½-¼
Bodn	19½-1/6	Nyanga Para..	4/6-3d
Bukit Cheh....	6/6+3d	Pegoh	6/8 9 x.d.-1/3
Bukit Panjong	3/7½ x.d.-1/6	Pelepah Valley	3/7½ x.d.-1/6
Bukit Mer....	4/8-½d	Port Dickson ..	4/-1d
Bukit Rajah....	10/-7d	Prediman....	4/6 x.d.
Ceylon Para..	11/7½ x.d.	R. Tavaneore..	4/6 x.d.
Cheroenan	4/3+1d	Reh Trust.....	39/3+5½d
Consolidated ..	2½-⅝	Selangor Unit.	3/11-½d
Cons. Malay....	12/3+5d	Sennah	2½-⅝
Golden Hope..	7/8-½	Sungei Way....	51/3-2/3
Havoc	2½-⅝	Seamber Aloe..	2/9-2½d
Highlands	57/6-6d	Strathmore	33/6+1/-
Java Para	4½-⅝	Shenez Buaya..	67/6 c.d.
Kuantan	10.10+½d	Taiping	3/9+4½d
Kamunting	3/10½-½d	Tebrau	3/- c.d.
Kamuning	4½-⅝	Tin. Serdang..	76/10+1/10d
Kepitiwalla	1½-⅝	Tin. Sua Betong	4½-⅝
Kombok	2½-⅝	Tin. Temiang..	5/7+1½d
Kwalor	2/0+1½d	Tullamtoran	2½-⅝
Lanadron	40/3-4/0	Way-Halim	2/6+3d
Laras	3/11+1½d	Yam Senr....	12/3+6d
London-Asiatic	6/5½-1½d		

TEA SHARES.

Anglo-Ceylon ..	60/6+9d.	Assam.	63-1½
10's	17½-½	Jorehaut.	45/-2/-
Nedrum	20½+1/-		

† Ex div. ‡ Ex rights. * Ex share bonus.

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were marked in London yesterday:—Consols, 79¾, 80, 79¾, 80; 5% War Loan—88½, 88⅜, 88½, 88⅜; War Loan (x.d.)—88½, 88⅜, 88½, 88⅜; 4½ p.c. War Loan—93¾, 93½, 93¾, 93½; Victory Bonds—76½, 76⅜, 76½, 76⅜; 4½ p.c. War Loan (x.d.)—93¾, 93½, 93¾, 93½; 5 p.c. War Loan—88¾, 88⅝, 88¾, 88⅝; 4 p.c. War Loan—68¾, 68½, 68¾, 68½; India 5½ p.c.—55¼, 55, 55¼, 55; Australian 5 p.c.—56½, 56, 56½, 56; Australian 4½ p.c.—48¾, 48½, 48¾, 48½; Australian 4 p.c.—44¾, 44½, 44¾, 44½; Canada 5 p.c.—98¾, 98½, 98¾, 98½; Canada 4½ p.c.—93¼, 93, 93¼, 93; Canada 4 p.c.—84¾, 84½, 84¾, 84½; Argentine 6 p.c.—101¾, 101½, 101¾, 101½; Argentine 5 p.c.—94¾, 94½, 94¾, 94½; Brazil 5 p.c.—78¾, 78½, 78¾, 78½; Chinese 5 p.c.—41½, 41, 41½, 41; Japanese 4½ p.c.—74¾, 74½, 74¾, 74½; Mexican 5 p.c.—53¼, 53, 53¼, 53; Uruguay 5½ p.c.—98¾, 98½, 98¾, 98½; Anglo-American Oil—3⅞, 3¾, 3⅞, 3¾; Anglo-British Exploration—49/6, 49/-, 49/6, 49/-; Anglo-Egyptian Oilfields—7¾, 7½, 7¾, 7½; Anglo-Persian—8¼, 8⅛, 8¼, 8⅛; Asiatic Petroleum—6¾, 6½, 6¾, 6½; Associated Portland Cement—79/-, 78/6, 79/-, 78/6; Bahia Blanca—6½, 6¼, 6½, 6¼; Barcelona Traction—30/3, 30/-, 30/3, 30/-; Barnsley Brewery—30½, 30, 30½, 30; Bovril—29/6, 29/-, 29/6, 29/-; British Aluminium—54/-, 53/9, 54/-, 53/9; British Cocoa and Chocolate—64/6, 64/-, 64/6, 64/-; British Dyestuffs—17/-, 16/10½, 17/-, 16/10½; Brotherhood—8/-, 7/9, 8/-, 7/9; British Oil and Cake Mills—57/6, 57/-, 57/6, 57/-; British Oversea Trade—10/-, 9/9, 10/-, 9/9; British Petroleum—3½, 3⅜, 3½, 3⅜; Broken Hill Prop.—6½, 6⅜, 6½, 6⅜; Burma Corporation—1¼, 1⅛, 1¼, 1⅛; Burmah Oil—18¼, 18, 18¼, 18; Central Argentine Ord. (x.d.)—70, 69¾, 70, 69¾; Central Mining—18½, 18, 18½, 18; City Deep—3¼, 3⅛, 3¼, 3⅛; Coats—63/3, 2/9½, 4/4½, 5/6—6/3, 6/-; Colombian Mining—1¼, 1⅛, 1¼, 1⅛; Consolidated Gold Fields—6, 5¾, 6, 5¾; Courtaulds—8½, 8⅜, 8½, 8⅜; Cunard Ord.—51/10½, 51/-, 51/10½, 51/-; Cunard Def.—6, 5¾, 6, 5¾; Eastern Telegraph—15½, 15⅜, 15½, 15⅜; East Rand Prop.—11/4½, 11/-, 11/4½, 11/-; Eastern Telegraph Def.—10½, 10⅜, 10½, 10⅜; English Crown Spelter—20/7½, 20/-, 20/7½, 20/-; English Steel—61/3, 60/7½, 61/3, 60/7½; Fine Cotton Spinners—5½, 5⅜, 5½, 5⅜; Grand Trunk Ord.—6¾, 6⅝, 6¾, 6⅝; Grand Trunk Pref.—9¾, 9½, 9¾, 9½; Great Boulder Prop.—9/-, 8/9, 9/-, 8/9; Great Fingall—3/-, 2/9, 3/-, 2/9; Harper Bros Pref.—7/6, 7/-, 7/6, 7/-; Imperial Tobacco—54½, 53½, 54½, 53½; Imperial Tobacco Def.—6¼, 6⅛, 6¼, 6⅛; Indian Rubber Ord.—10/10½, 10/-, 10/10½, 10/-; Jagersfontein—2/-, 1/9, 2/-, 1/9; Johore Rubber Ord.—4/-, 3/9, 4/-, 3/9; Kaffir Circus—3/9, 3/6, 3/9, 3/6; Kaffir Consolidated Investment—2/-, 1/9, 2/-, 1/9; Kaffir Mines—2/-, 1/9, 2/-, 1/9; Kaffir Trust—1/10½, 1/9, 1/10½, 1/9; Kaffir Trust Def.—2/-, 1/9, 2/-, 1/9; Kaffir Trust Ord.—2/-, 1/9, 2/-, 1/9; Kaffir Trust Pref.—2/-, 1/9, 2/-, 1/9; Kaffir Trust Unit—2/-, 1/9, 2/-, 1/9; Kaffir Trust Warrants

MacARTHUR & CO.'S AUCTIONS

FRIDAY, 9TH APRIL, 1920.

VACANT POSSESSION. WELL-BUILT RESIDENCE.

6 CONNAUGHT PLACE, CLONSKEAGH.

Opposite St. James's terrace, just beside Eglinton road. Three storeyed modern residence, situated on main tram line. Contains spacious hall, conservatory, two reception rooms, diningroom, 6 good bedrooms, tiled kitchen, with close range; bath (h. and c.); maid's room, w.c., pantries, boxroom, etc. Ground rent, £12 10s. Od. Lease, 200 years. Premises can be inspected between 3 and 6 o'clock each day. Orders to view from Auctioneers.

Messrs. LETT and FETHERSTONHAUGH, 23 Ely place.

VACANT POSSESSION.

19 ST. KEVIN'S ROAD, S.C. ROAD.

Close to Harrington street. Excellent two-storeyed House, with immediate possession to purchaser. Contains sittingroom (with folding doors), kitchen (new range), scullery, gas-cooker; three good bedrooms, tiled yard, coal house, w.c.; rear entrance. Head rent, £3 3s. Od. Lease 94 years unexpired.

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RE GASKIN, DECEASED.

SMALL HOUSE, WITH ABOUT 1 ACRE, STABLING, SHEDS, &c., ALSO SIX COTTAGES, VILLAGE OF STILLORGAN (GASKIN'S TERRACE).

Situated a few minutes' walk from Stillorgan Village, on right hand side of Kilmacud road, immediately past "Pump," and overlooking grounds of "Glen Alyn," close to St. Laurence O'Toole's Catholic Church, Kilmacud.

Property for sale comprises good double-fronted House, with 3 living apartments, stabling, lofts, sheds, and other outoffices. Front gate entrance. Vegetable garden of about an acre. VACANT POSSESSION TO PURCHASER.

Also six good two-roomed, double-fronted, slated Cottages, with concrete fronts. Three let at 5s. 6d. weekly, and three at 3s. weekly. Ground rent, £12. Lease, 99 years from 1887.

Messrs. GERALD BYRNE and CO., Solicitors, 7 Lower Ormond quay.

RYAN, DECEASED.

LOT 1—29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34 CHARLEVILLE AVENUE, NORTH STRAND.

Six neat Cottages, near Ballybough road, each containing parlour, two bedrooms, kitchen, w.c., and coal house. Railed plot in front, and good gardens at rear. Let at 8s. 6d. and 9s. Ground rent, £13-12s. 9d. for lot. Lease, 900 years from 1865.

LOT 2—33, 35, 37 JONES' ROAD.

Three nice Cottages, with extensive gardens front and rear. Each contains parlour, 4 bedrooms, kitchen, coal house and w.c. Cold bath. Gross rental, £96. Head rent, £3 each. Lease, 300 years from 1868.

LOT 3—61 AND 63 JONES' ROAD.

Two compact two-storeyed Houses, each containing parlour, 3 bedrooms, kitchen, bath, pantry. There are excellent gardens front and rear. Head rent, £2 3s. 0d. each. Let at £ . Lease 300 years from 1867.

LOT 4—1, 2, & 3 ROSE TERRACE, WHARF ROAD, NORTH STRAND.

A few minutes' walk from tram line. Three modern Houses, two storeys over basement. Each contains six good apartments, scullery, also good yard. Head rent, £15 lot. Lease 400 years from 1885. Producing £1 15s. 6d. weekly.

LOT 5—No. 17 GREAT CHARLES STREET AND 8 SUMMER ROW.

No. 17 Great Charles street is a substantial dwellinghouse, three storeys over basement, containing 7 apartments. Let to tenants, producing £1 1s. 6d. weekly. 8 Summer Row is a Cottage, with three apartments. Let at 8s. 6d. weekly. Gross rental entire, £70 4s. 0d. HELD FOR EVER FREE OF RENT.

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MODERN HOUSE. DRUMCONDRA.

28 ST. ANN'S ROAD.

Just off main Drumcondra road. Nice semi-detached two-storeyed House, with side entrance. Raised plot in front, and garden at rear. Contains sittingroom, diningroom, three good bedrooms, kitchen (close range), hot bath, pantry, w.c., and coal house. Let at £36, payable monthly. Ground rent, £3. Lease, 785 years.

Messrs. MOLLOY, FAYLE and CO., Solicitors, 18 Eustace street.

UP-TO-DATE HOUSE. CLOSE TO TRAM.

"SMYTHVILLE," 3 RICHMOND ROAD, DRUMCONDRA.

Modern two-storeyed House, close to main tram lines. Sittingroom, parlour, kitchen (close range), 3 good and airy bedrooms, hot and cold bath, scullery, w.c. Railed plot in front, and good garden at rear, also rear entrance. Ground rent, £3 10s. Lease, 930 years. Let at £52 10s. monthly.

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AN EASILY MANAGED AND COMPACT PROPERTY.

1 TO 12 ST. LAURENCE ST. ALSO 14 AND 15 LOWER SHERIFF STREET.

Fourteen four-roomed Cottages, of a very lettable class. Facing St. Laurence O'Toole's Catholic Church, and close to Docks and Quays, also Railway Stations. The houses are all let to old-standing tenants at 6s. each weekly. Gross rental, £318 8s. Od. Ground rent on entire, £96. Lease about 900 years. Tenants' rents have not been increased under the Mortgage and Rent Act.

TO SMALL CAPITALISTS. SELL IN LOTS.

33, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44 BESSBOROUGH AVENUE, NORTH STRAND.

Terrace of seven nice Cottages, close to tram and convenient to Shipping Depots. Each contains parlour, kitchen, two bedrooms, w.c., yard. Let at 7s. 6d. and 8s. 3d. each. Head rent, £5 each. Lease, 100 years.

GOOD LETTING PROPERTY. SUIT SMALL CAPITALIST

7 UPPER ERNE STREET.

Comfortable House, two storeys over basement. Contains sittingroom, diningroom, 3 good bedrooms, 2 large kitchens, w.c. Concrete yard, with coal house and w.c. Also exclusive plot of ground at rear, with rear entrance leading into Harcourt Row, suitable for garage, etc. Let to tenant at 15s. weekly. Head rent, £5. Lease, 200 years to run.

SURE PAYING PROPERTY. HANDY POSITION. SELL SINGLY.

14, 15, 16, 17, 18 NORTHBROOK TERRACE, OFF NORTHBROOK AVENUE, NORTH STRAND. 1 MILE FROM G.P.O.

Close to tram line. Each contains parlour, kitchen, with close range; three bedrooms, w.c., scullery; concrete yard, rear entrance. Held for 878 years, subject to £2 10s. each. Let at 11s. weekly. Gross rental, £143. F.I.V. £11 each.

29, 30, 31, 32 NORTHBROOK TERRACE.

On left hand side of avenue, each containing parlour, kitchen (close range), three bedrooms, cold bath, w.c., scullery, coal house, concrete yard. Let at 11s. weekly each. Gross rental, £114 8s. Od. Head rent, £2 10s. Od. each. Lease, 870 years. Above Houses are conveniently situated, where such class of property is in great demand. All let to old-standing tenants. Sold in lots to suit purchasers.

S. G. RUTHERFORD, Esq., Solicitor, 25 Bachelor's Walk.

ONE MILE FROM G.P.O.

8 STRANDVILLE AVENUE, NORTH STRAND.

Neat red brick fronted Cottage, containing lofty parlour, three bedrooms, kitchen, scullery, good garden. In first-class order. Let at 9s. weekly. Head rent, £3. Lease, 900 years.

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FIRST RATE INVESTMENT. TWO QUICK LETTING COTTAGE HOUSES. NOMINAL GROUND RENT.

2 AND 3 ST. LAWRENCE PLACE.

(IN AVENUE BETWEEN 12 and 13 FONTENOY STREET.)

Superior Modern Semi-detached Houses, each having red brick front. Lofty parlour, 2 bedrooms, kitchen, with concentrated set sinks; garden, w.c., &c. Each let at 11s. 11s. 9d. Ground rent only £3 per annum each. Long lease. This property forms an attractive and profitable investment, in handy position, close to North Frederick Street Tram line, also convenient to Broadstone Terminus.

(In each case (unless otherwise stated) the tenants' rents of all the above lots have been increased under the Mortgage and Rent Act, and are given as the gross rentals at present being derived from the properties. The Auctioneers will be glad to furnish further particulars if desired.

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TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), AT 25 BACHELOR'S WALK.

SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, MOTOR CARS, AND MISCELLANEOUS EFFECTS

(REMOVED FROM BEAUMONT, HARRINGTON STREET, MARY STREET, &c.)

MOTORS—Including—12-14 h.p. DE DION BOUTON LANDAULETTE, UPHOLSTERED IN RED FORD CORD, GUARANTEED IN PERFECT ORDER; 20-30 h.p. Seven-seater Landaulette, Bosch magneto, Zenith carburetor, body splendidly upholstered; 5-7 h.p. Rudge Motor Cycle.

FURNITURE—SUPERIOR THREE-PIECE CHESTERFIELD SET, COVERED IN LISTER'S VELVET AND UPHOLSTERED IN CURLED HAIR; magnificent 6ft. Solid Mahogany Arched Glass-back Enclosed Sideboard, 4ft. 6in. Mahogany French Cylinder Writing Desk, Rosewood Inlaid China Cabinet, 5ft. Rosewood Inlaid Chiffonier, Glass Back, Marble Top, 9-Piece Walnut Drawingroom Suite, in Old Gold Velvet; 9-Piece Mahogany Diningroom Suite, in Plush; Mahogany Chest of Drawers; Antique Chest of Drawers, 5ft. Lounge, in Morocco; Seven-piece Drawingroom Suite, in Tapestry—6ft. Mahogany Glass-back Enclosed Sideboard, 4ft. 6in. ditto, 4ft. Walnut ditto, 3ft. 6in. Walnut ditto, Walnut Octagon Table; 8ft. Mahogany Chairs, in Leather; Eleven-piece Diningroom Suite, in Red Velvet; Drawingroom Occasional Tables and Chairs, Walnut Whatnot, small Mahogany Writing Desk; Glass Shower, Gilt Bird; French Ormolu Clock, Marble Clock, Mahogany Hall Table; Threepiece Chesterfield Set, in Green; Mahogany Panel Wafter, Nine-piece Diningroom Suite, in Leather; Seven-piece Mahogany Inlaid Chesterfield Suite, in Silk Tapestry; 6ft. Solid Mahogany Wardrobe—Full Hanging, Gent's 5ft. Mahogany Wardrobe, 5ft. Walnut Inlaid Bedroom Suite; two Wicker Armchairs, Wicker-framed Sofa, six Half-hanging Wardrobes, Marble-top Washstand, Mahogany Duchesse Pair, Helmet-shaped Coal Box, two Corner Curbs, six Window Curtains, Sets of Brasses, and very fine Paintings; 6ft. Mahogany Bedroom Suite, 4ft. 6in. Walnut Bedroom Suite; others in Satin Walnut and Mahogany; two 4ft. 6in. Brass and Black Bedsteads, complete; 4ft. 6in. Solid Mahogany Panel Bedstead, complete; several 4ft. and 3ft. 6in. Bedsteads; Chests of Drawers and Wardrobes, Glass and China Ware, Mahogany Overmantel Glasses, Fenders, etc., and other lots.

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JOSEPH F. KEOGH & CO.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 25 BACHELOR'S WALK, DUBLIN

500 STORE CATTLE,

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On TO-MORROW (THURSDAY),
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FREEHOLD HOUSE PROPERTY FOR SALE BY AUCTION, on TUESDAY, APRIL 6th, at 3.30 o'clock, at the Courthouse, Enniskillen, consisting handsome Private Dwelling-house, No. 45 Darling street, all panels recently and in good order, with 7 apartments and bedroom, bathroom (h. and c.), lavatory, kitchen, pantry, etc., and Out-offices and Yard, with rear abutting on Head street. The entire being held in fee, free of all rent.

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SANDYMOUNT GREEN,
And adjoining
PRIVATE HOUSE (of apartments), with possession; overlooking Green and commanding best position (at present let to tenant). All the above will be sold in One Lot. Held at small rent. Frontage about 80. The above Dairy Business has been carried on very successfully for a great number of years. Hall or Arch attached to shop, about 60 x 30; suitable for any business—Picture House, Garage, etc. We have received instructions from John King, Esq., to sell above valuable Property. Full particulars and date AUCTIONEERS, or
Mr. CHAS. P. O'NEILL, Solicitor, 37 St. Stephen's green, Dublin.
Frederick street, Dublin.

KINGSTOWN.

SAME DATE AS ABOVE,
21 CROMLEHAIRPE PARK, Dunleary. Possession. Magnificent House, about 10 apartments. Splendid position. Particulars later from AUCTIONEERS and Mr. JOHN GREER, Solicitor, O'Connell street, Dublin.
Entries taken for above.

CHRISTIE'S,
PRIVATE SALES.

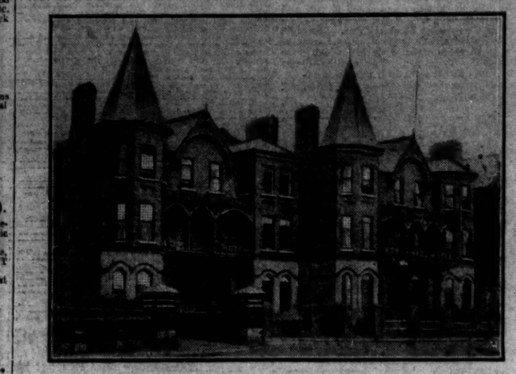
PUBLIC-HOUSES, PRIVATE HOUSES (with Possession), SPIRIT GROCER'S, LAUNDRY (Going Concern), BUTCHER SHOP and REGISTERED SLAUGHTER-HOUSE, FOOTWEAR SWEEP, FACTORY (Going Concern), WHOLESALE and RETAIL DAIRY BUSINESS.

CHRISTIE'S,
Auctioneers,
159, 161 CAPEL STREET, DUBLIN.

FRIDAY WEEK, 9TH APRIL, AT 3 AT

MILLS' ESPLANADE HOTEL, BRAY.

4 PRIVATE MODERN HOUSES, WITH POSSESSION.
1, 2, 3, 4 CLOONADA TERRACE, BRAY.
HELD FOR 999 YEARS. RENT £9 15s. 5d., ADJUSTED, PER HOUSE.
CLEAR POSSESSION.



OR IDEAL FAMILY HOTEL.
For 23 Years known as Mills' Esplanade Hotel.
SALE BY AUCTION,
FRIDAY, 9th DAY OF APRIL, 1920,
At 3 o'clock, at the Premises.

4 Choice Modern non-basement Houses, with POSSESSION. Held for 999 years, from 25th February, 1888, at £10 per annum, adjusted to £9 15s. 5d.

The Dwellings form a stately block, built at considerable cost by the late Alderman Meade, P.C. Granite and marble facings, and best Bridgewater red brick, with handsome spiral turret terminals to No. 2 and 4.

The entire property is replete with all modern requisites, in excellent decorative, structural and sanitary condition, rendering outlay unnecessary for many years.

The Houses are so planned that Two Houses can be retained, if desired, as a FAMILY HOTEL, affording ample accommodation.

NO. 1.—Comprises garden plot with verandah to parterre and drawingroom flats, spacious hall, telephone box, smokeroom, office, and spacious light-some kitchen, pantries, 6-ton coal cellar, drawing room with bay window commanding scenic view of Bray Headland, dining room, 7 bedrooms, hot bath, separate lavatory.

NO. 2—Garden plot in front, porch, verandah and hall, and drawingroom flat; 2 spacious, cheery, connected dining rooms, making ideal dance rooms; drawing rooms, 7 bedrooms, hot bath, lavatory specially constructed gentlemen's lavatory (hot and cold), closets; housekeeper's room, with lantern roof; kitchen, pantry, laundry in yard, with concreted floor; coal cellar, 6-ton capacity; beautiful coastal and inland views are commanded from this house.

NO. 3—Good porch and verandah, 3 sitting, 7 bedrooms, kitchen, scullery, servants' room, bathroom (hot supply), 2 separate closets, well built, double lined wood; shed with gas stove; large cycle shed, concrete floors. This Dwelling is well sheltered and protected from North winds, and forms an ideal winter house.

NO. 4—Good hall and verandah; front garden plot, semi-detached, with sunny southern gable; 3 sitting, 7 bedrooms, bath, 2 closets and lavatory, servant's room, good heat house, concreted yard, 6-ton coal cellar. Entire forming a very attractive Residence.

Four Law Valuation of four Houses, £160.

For further particulars and orders to view, apply
EDWARD C. JAMESON, Esq., Solicitor,
182 Great Brunswick street, Dublin
('Phone 1951); or

ARTHUR JONES & SON.
AUCTIONEERS, VALUERS, HOUSE AND INSURANCE AGENTS,
FURNITURE REMOVERS AND STORES,
DUBLIN AND GREYSTONES.
'PHONE 1.

HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE AUCTION TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY), AT 12.30 O'CLOCK, AT COX'S AUCTION ROOMS, 29 BACHELOR'S WALK.

(ON ACCOUNT OF NEXT FRIDAY BEING GOOD FRIDAY).

Comprising:—12 Mahogany Spoon-back Dining Chairs; 12ft. Set of Mahogany Screw Dining Tables, one 10ft. do. x 4ft.; lofty Glass-back Mahogany Sideboard, 5ft. Walnut do., richly carved; superior Walnut Overmantel Glass, Single Chesterfield; Dark Fumed Oak Diningroom Suite, comprising Patent Dining Table, Dresser Sideboard, six Dining Chairs and two Carvers; Austrian Lounge Hall Stand, French Ebonised China Cabinet, four Brass Fenders and Sets of Brasses, four Sets Ivory Billiard Balls, Edison Phonograph and 100 Records; three Sets Spanish Mahogany Dining Chairs, six in each; large Dark Oak Hall Stand, Magic Lantern, 15ft. Set Dark Oak Screw Dining Tables; Drawingroom Settee Suite, in silk tapestry; Chesterfield and two Arm Chairs; Copper Helmet-shape Coal Boxes, 8 Mahogany and Rosewood Oval and Round Tables; odd lots of Silver-plated Ware; Dark Walnut Overmantel Glasses, Reclining Lounge Chairs, Bentwood Chairs; Bedroom Furniture, the manufacture of Messrs. Millar & Beatty, Todd, Burns, &c., including two 6ft. Walnut and Maple Cheval Bedroom Suites, beautifully fitted with Chairs and Pedestals; Dublin-made 5ft. Mahogany Glass-door Wardrobe, superior Mahogany Duchesse Pair; 6ft. Solid Oak Bedroom Suite and two Chairs; three Satin Walnut do., various sizes; ten All-Brass Solid Oak and Black and Brass Beds, with good Wires and pure Curled-Hair Mattresses, Blankets, Feather Bolsters and Pillows; 14 lengths of good Linoleum; Pictures and Paintings, Decorative and other China; ten Costume Lengths; Hall Stand and Chairs; Kitchen and Deal Furniture, Presses, Mangles, six Kitchen Chairs; five Ladies' and Gent.'s Cycles, Douglas Motor Cycle; Step Ladders, Meat Safe, and numerous other lots. GOODS ON VIEW BEFORE SALE. AUCTION COMMENCES 12.30. Motor Cycle sold at 3 o'clock.

JOHN H. COX, F.A.I., AUCTIONEER.

JAMES J. SCANNELL'S AUCTIONS.

THIS DAY (WEDNESDAY), 31ST MARCH,
AT 4 BACHELOR'S WALK,
SALE OF SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,
CARPETS, BEDSTEADS;
MOTOR CAR, TWO-WHEEL VAN, &c., &c.,

Comprising:—5-Seater Humber 10 to 12 h.p. Motor Car, in perfect running order; 4 Superior 5ft. and 6ft. Wa nut Sideboards, with mirror backs; 2 Mahogany do., 4 Mahogany Telescope Dining Tables, 12 Mahogany Diningroom Chairs, 2 in Morocco leather, 3 Arm Chairs to match; handsome Louis China Cabinet, 2 Inlaid do., 6ft. 6in. Mahogany Inlaid Bedroom Suite, 4ft. Walnut do.; 3-Seat Sofas, handsome Drawingroom Suite in silk tapestry; large Show Case, 2 Berkel Bacon Slicers, 2 Inlaid Music Cabinets, Walnut and Oak Hallstands, handsome Chippendale Overmantels, Inlaid Enclosed China Cabinet, 4 Walnut Overmantels, Drumhead Couch, 9-Piece Diningroom Suite, in hair scrubby; 3 Diningroom Suites in Amer'can cloth; Black and Gold China Cabinet, Overmantel to match; 3 Marble Clocks and Vases to match; Mahogany Pressing Tables and Marble-top Washstands; 3 Scoop, Scales and Weights; 4 All-Brass Beds, complete; 2 Satin Walnut do., 1 Mahogany do., several Black and Brass Beds, Wire and Double Beds, Mahogany Chest of Drawers, Mahogany Pedestal Writing Table, Two-wheel Spring Van, up to 30 cwt., in perfect condition; set of good Van Harness; Oil Paintings and Coloured Prints, 40 Suits of Gents' Ready-made Clothes, 50 Pairs of Boots; Perambulators; 6 Army Field Kitchens, 10 superior Axminster Carpets, Brussels and Tapestry do., Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, 8 School Benches, Oval Mahogany Centre Table, Gents' and Ladies' Bicycles, including first-rate Humber, almost new.

SALE AT ONE O'CLOCK. TEL. 2725.

STORE CATTLE AUCTION

TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), 11 O'CLOCK.

GANLY, SONS & CO.

DUBLIN WOOL SALES.

FINAL AUCTION FOR THIS SEASON,
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 21st.
EARLY CONSIGNMENT REQUESTED.

GANLY, SONS & CO.,
USHER'S QUAY, DUBLIN.

COUNTY OF MEATH.
IMPORTANT SALE
OF CATTLE, HORSES, CARTS, HARNESS, FARMING IMPLEMENTS, HAY, OATS, Etc.,
AT CROSSAKIEL, KELLS.

W. AND G. ARMSTRONG have received instructions from the Administrators of the late William O'Neill, Esq., J.P., to SELL BY AUCTION, at above,
On MONDAY, 12th APRIL, 1920,
At the hour of 12 o'clock (New time), the following:—

CATTLE.
12 3-year-old Bullocks, in forward condition.
13 3-year-old Heifers, in forward condition.
5 Heifers, in calf.
4 14-year-old Heifers.
2 FARM HORSES.
3 Carts, with Boxes and Cribs; 2 Sets of Cart Harness, Massey-Harris Binder, nearly new; Albion Grinding and Crushing Machine, 3ft.; Set Iron Harrows, Chain Harrow, Oilcake Crusher, Turnip Pulper, Oonoits and Weights, Wooden Hay Collector, 4 Hay Sliders, Grass Harrow, Manure Distributor, Sheep Shearing Machine, Oats Fiddle, 3 Metal Cattle Feeding Pans, 2 Galvanised Water Tanks; 9 Oil Drums, Lathe, Smith's Bellows, 3 Grinding Stones, Planks, Sheep Rack, Knapsack Spraying Machine, 20 Barrels Oats, 20 Tons Prime Old Meadow Hay, 5 Stacks Oats, etc.

Terms at Sale.

W. & G. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneers, Valuers, and Cattle Salesmen,
KELLS, and 95 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

KILMURRY, TULLAMORE.

160 ACRES

Of above Lands will be Let by Auction, for John W. Smith, Esq., on FRIDAY, 9th APRIL, at One p.m.

Card with Acreage on application.

ROBERT CRAIGIE,
37 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

COUNTY OF MEATH.
HIGHLY IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION OF
CATTLE, SHEEP, HORSES,
HAY, STRAW, OATS, ROOTS, FARMING IMPLEMENTS,
And RESIDUE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,
GREAT FREFFANS, TRIM.

JOSEPH LOWRY and SONS are favoured with instructions, as Executors of A. Law, Esq. (who has disposed of his property), to
SELL BY AUCTION,
AT GREAT FREFFANS, TRIM,
On FRIDAY and SATURDAY, 9th and 10th APRIL, 1920,
Commencing each day at 12 o'clock noon.
FIRST DAY.

60 Three years old Bullocks, in forward condition; 1 Two years old Bullock; 1 One-and-a-half year old Bullock, 1 Yearling Bullock, 3 Stripper Cows, 1 Two-and-a-half Year old Heifer, 96 Cheviot Ewes, with 130 Lambs at foot, 3 Sheep Rams, 6 Farm Horses, Pony Trap and Harness, Set Pony Cart Harness, 50 Barrels of Oats, 40 Tons of First Crop and Old Meadow Hay, 10 Tons Oaten Straw, and a quantity of Potatoes and Sawn Timber.

The Accomodation Portable Thresher, 30-inch; Amance 8-10 h.p. Oil Engine, on truck fitted with shafts; International Disc Corn Drill, 2 Hay Rakes, 2 Metal Rollers, 2 Swath Turners, 3 Hay Rogies, Winnowing Machine, Cake Crusher, 3 Ploughs, Woods Reaper and Binder, Sheep Dipper, Chain Harrow, Spring Tooth Harrow, 2 Harrows, Wooden Harrow, 2 Drill Hoes, Scales and Weights, 6 Pans, 10 Feeding Troughs, 2 Iron Water Barrels, 2 Wooden Water Barrels, 2 Mowing and Reaping Machines, Turnip Sower, Turnip Slicer, 6 Field Rollers, 6 Ropes, Oil Tank, 3 Garden Frames, 2 Hay Gaiheres, 2 Bed Covers, Ladders, Wheel Barrows, Miscellaneous Tools, Scrap Iron, Tubs, Side Car, 4 Carts, Spring Dray, 1 Set Trap Harness, Set Cart Harness, Saddles, Cavesons, Bridles, Martingales, Knee Caps, Backbands, Bits, Spurs, Headcollars, etc., etc.

SECOND DAY.

The HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE comprises:—Chesterfield Couch, Divan Easy Chairs, Turkey Carpets and Rugs, Mahogany and Oak Falling-leaf Tables, Oak Overmantel, Fenders and Irons, Bedsteads, Hall Chairs, Hall Table, 8 Diningroom Chairs, Kitchen Dresser, Writing Desk, Mahogany Sideboard, Butler's Tray, Dinner and Tea Services, Beds and Bedding, Bedroom Suites, Pictures, Prints, Linoleum, Kitchen and Dairy Utensils, and a quantity of Glass, Silver, and Plated Ware, Cutlery, etc., etc.

A charge of 1/- will be made for Admission to House.

Terms and Conditions at Sale.

JOSEPH LOWRY & SONS,
Auctioneers, Valuers, and Cattle Salesmen.
Kells, 23rd March, 1920.

SHOOTING FISHING HUNTING.

SALMON FISHING—To Let, part of River Dargle, Co. Donegal. Apply Ryan, 37 Raglan road, Dublin.

DOCKRELL LIMITED,
38-39 SOUTH GT. GEORGE'S ST.

HOUSES SOLD.
AUCTIONS CONDUCTED.
VALUATIONS MADE.

Dalkey — Convent Road — Free of rent. MODERN, WELL-BUILT HOUSE FOR SALE; early possession; two receptions, three bedrooms, servant's room, hot bath, garden. Price £950. Apply to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

21 and 28 Elmpark Avenue, Ranelagh —Two neat, up-to-date HOUSES FOR IMMEDIATE SALE, price £385 each, head rent £3 10/6. Lease 999 years. Let to monthly tenants at £35.—Dockrell Limited, Agents.

To be Sold, Large Premises At present occupied by Messrs. Sharp and Preston, who have acquired (in consequence of their growing business) more extensive premises, in the vicinity of Francis street, suitable for Motor Garage Works or Manufacturing Stores. Held under long lease, subject only to the nett rent of about £26. Price for all, £3,500. Apply Dockrell Limited, Agents, Dublin.

The Curragh — GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE TO LET, Unfurnished; rent £150 (inclusive); 3 receptions, 6 bedrooms, 3 servants' rooms, hot bath, 2 w.c.'s, garden and tennis ground, stabling. Apply to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

Adelaide street, Kingstown, NEAR SEA AND PIER—Very desirable HOUSE FOR SALE, with possession; price £1,200; 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, servant's room, hot bath, 3 w.c.s, conservatory, garden. Apply to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

DOCKRELL LIMITED,
STH. GT. GEORGE'S ST, DUBLIN

At LEE'S

EDWARD LEE AND COMPANY ARE SHOWING A CHOICE SELECTION OF GLOVES AT ALL THEIR HOUSES DURING THIS WEEK.

LADIES' GLOVES.

Natural Washable Chamois, 5/11 per pair.
White Washable Doe, 8/11 per pair.
White Neuvel Washable Leather, 10/6 per pair.
Natural Washable Chamois (Pique Sewn), 11/9 per pair.
White and Natural Washable Chamois (Black Sewn), 10/6 per pair.
White Neuvel Washable Leather (Magpie Sewn), 14/6 per pair.
White and Natural Washable Chamois Strapped Wrist, 9/11 per pair.
Brown and Grey Doeskin, 6/11 per pair.
Brown and Grey Doeskin, 12/11 per pair.
Brown Nappa Driving, 10/11 per pair.
White Kid, 6/11 per pair.
Coloured Silkette, in Natural, Beaver, Greys, etc., 1/6 per pair.
Coloured Silk Knit, in White, Natural, Beaver, Grey, etc., 2/11 per pair.
Wexford Silk Hand-Knit, in White, Mastic, Putty, Greys, etc., 4/11 per pair.
Coloured Doe Fabrics, in Natural, White, Beaver, Greys, etc., 3/11 per pair.
Coloured Doe Fabrics, Black Sewn, in White, Natural, 3/11 per pair.

GENT.'S GLOVES.

Natural Washable Chamois, 9/11 per pair.
Brown Nappa Driving, 10/11 per pair.
Brown Kid Driving, 13/11 per pair.
Grey Suede (Pique Sewn), 10/11 per pair.
Coloured Suede, finished, in Grey, Natural, etc., 4/6 per pair.

ALL OUR HOUSES WILL BE OPEN LATE THIS (WEDNESDAY) EVENING.

Edward Lee & Co., LTD.,
General Drapers and Outfitters,
Dublin (48 Mary St.), Rathmines, Kingstown and Bray.
Country Branch—TYRRELLSPASS, CO. WESTMEATH.

LIVE STOCK, ETC. (CONTD. FROM PAGE 9).

FULL bred Black Cocker Female, 9 months old. Apply to R. Fleming, Cheltenham. F
FOR Sale, quantity of Live Hares. Apply "Z 4143, The Times" office. F
GRAND attic Milch Cow, just calved, to be Sold at county's Auction, 65 Prussia st., to-morrow (Thursday). F
PEDIGREE Jersey Stock for Sale—Cows, Danum Diamond, with calf at foot; 6 weeks old Heifer Calf, Danum Rush, second entries; shorthr; 2 year old Heifers, Oakstream Hope and Oakstream Fickle. For Sale, year old Bull, Oakstream Jewel; sucking Bulls, Grenville Noble and Oakstream Bullrush; cows passed tuberculin test. Full particulars from Mr. A. Everard, cats of Hon. Mrs. Vanecleur, Oakstream, Ennis. F
SALE, Heifer Calf, 3 dark old, cross between Jersey and Shorthorn.—84, John's, Terenure. F
THE "Scour Specific"—The never-failing cure for White Scour in Calves and Scour in Cattle, Calves, Sheep, etc., post free, 2/9 and 5/6.—A. R. Jones, Chemist, Douglas, Co. Cork. 50 27
TWO Terriers, ladies, 1 bine, 15 months; 1 white lemon, 12 months; 30/- each.—"Z 4133, Terriers," this office. F
WEST Highland Terrier at Stud, Ardabeal Leader, probably the best stud dog of the present; fee 50/-, record.—Peter Davidson, Portobello Steadings, Lucan.
WANTED, Small West Highland, Aberdeen, or Cairn Terrier Dog.—S 261, this office. C
WANTED, well bred Pomeranian Toy Puppy. State age, price to No. 49, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast.
WANTED, tame Horse for small Bungalow, 1-3 Acre, with water supply; County Dublin or Wicklow. Reply, stating price, full particulars, S 305, this office. C
WANTED to Purchase, Mill, installed with large up to date power plant and machinery; preferably with rail or water facilities. Replies, in strict confidence, to S 1616, this office. X
WANTED, Stable convenient to Harold's Cross or Rathmines.—S 475, this office. C

HOUSES AND LANDS FOR SALE

DESIRABLE Investment—23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28 Upper Clanbrassil st.; produce £202 yearly; all have good gardens.—Auctions, 8th April.—Battersby, Auctioneer, Kevin st. C
FOUR Tenement Houses, yielding substantial profit rent, North side; and various other lots. Apply McKay, House Agent, 65 Fairview, Strand. C
FOR Sale, with immediate possession, large modern House, North side, convenient to city, containing 12 spacious rooms, with basement, bath, large garden, stables, and outoffices; held for over, subject to £12 per annum. Apply McKay, House Agent, 65 Fairview Strand. C
HOLLYBROOK road, Clontarf—To be Sold, good House.—S 349, this office. C
MARGUERITE road, 17, and 19; lease 999 years; modern compact Houses, each containing 5 rooms, kitchen, bath (h. and c.); subject to £5 per annum each. Apply McKay, House Agent, 65 Fairview, Strand. C
REMUNERATIVE Investment—Tenement House, well let and Producing; in thorough repair; gross rental £127 8/; lease 99 years, rent £17; profit rent, less taxes, £110 8/. Apply McKay, House Agent, 65 Fairview, Strand. C
10/- UP CITY.—Remunerative Investment—Tenement House and shop and Premises, in thorough repair; gross rental £127 8/; lease 99 years; rent £17; profit rent, less taxes, £110 8/. Apply McKay, House Agent, 65 Fairview Strand. C

TUITIONS AND SCHOLASTIC.

ALL Professional Prelims. and University Entrances, by Post and Correspondence. Success last and particulars.—McQUIRE'S COLLEGE, Shackville st., Dublin. T
ALL Professional and University Preliminaries—A Thorough and rapid preparation for Solicitors', Surgeons', Veterinary, Pharmaceutical Preliminaries, University Entrance; Day, Evening, Correspondence Classes.—W. St. George Brooker, 9 Molesworth street, Dublin.
EXPERIENCED Governess (R.C.) would take entire charge of one or two children; thorough Englsh, French, music; highest references and testimonials. —"Z 4091, Governess," this office. F
JUNIOR Form Mistress, French, English, or Arithmetic, open for engagement in best city, after Easter; Protestant; certificated; disciplinarian.—S 181, this office. C
OAKLANDS, Orton, near Birkenhead—High class modern Girls' Boarding School.
RESIDENT Governess required; to instruct two children in usual subjects, good linguist; excellent testimonials essential.—"Z 4120, Governess," this office. F
SHORTHAND, Typewriting, Bookkeeping, Business and Secretarial Training.—Metropolitan College (Gillespie), 100 Lower Mount st. Phone 2078. Prospectus free.
THE Consular Service—Details of forthcoming examinations will be found in the Students' Page of the "Weekly Irish Times." On Sale to-day, price three halfpence.
YOUNG Lady wishes re-engagement Nursery Governess, Mother's Help; Dublin or suburbs; good needlewoman; well recommended.—M.C.—Lady Help, 27 Anglesea st., Dublin.

GOVERNESSES AND TUTORS WANTED.

AGENT for GOVERNESSES AND SCHOOLS.
A Miss Bellingham, Tools, 5 Gratton st., Dublin.
ASSISTANT Tutor Wanted for a Civil Service Dublin College; experienced in teaching Mathematics; state salary required and subjects.—S 365, this office. C
FRENCH—Has French Patient, hours free for conversation; select state terms.—"Z 4134, this office. F
GOVERNESS Help, R.C., required early April for Girl's School; must be thoroughly reliable, strong music; state terms.—S 214, this office. C
LADY Wants Two Pupils, Classes; North side.—S 262, this office. D
LADY Teachers Required—Many vacancies for Private and Secondary Schools; experience not essential; fair salaries. Address Secretary, Miss Smith, Educational Agents